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Canada is making no mistake in helping to keep the Aorangi running

Canadian Troops Relax After First Korean Battle

—A.P. Wirephoto

This picture of the Princess Patricias at the Korean front shows three members of the famed regiment relaxing after their first taste of action in the Korean war. One soldier is seen eating chow while the other two rest on Korean pack-frames, with their rifles close at hand.

Russia Voices Readiness To Negotiate Differences

Britain Receives Note Replying to Charges

LONDON, Feb. 25 (Sunday) (AP)—Russia told Britain last night that she is ready to negotiate with Britain over their outstanding differences.

The British had indicated readiness to talk with Russia to improve mutual relations in a note February 17 answering Soviet charges that Britain had violated the 1942 Anglo-Soviet treaty of friendship and alliance.

Russia replied to this last night, attacking Britain's motives in accusing the U.S.S.R. of extensive military mobilization and aggressive aims.

Then, near the end, the Russians said:

"In view of what has been said above, the Soviet Government cannot regard the statement of the British Government with full confidence.

"ALL POSSIBILITIES"

"Nevertheless, the Soviet Government is ready to enter into negotiations, endeavoring to use all possibilities for improvement of relations with Great Britain. The Government of the U.S.S.R. will highly estimate any step of the Government of Great Britain genuinely aimed at the improvement of relations between our countries."

During the course of the recent series of sharp notes between the two countries, the British said the Soviet Union's armed forces numerically exceeded those of all the Western countries put together.

Moscow said last night that the facts were that the Soviet armed forces, including land, air and naval, were just equal to those she had before the beginning of the World War in 1939.

"However," Russia said in her note, broadcast by the Moscow radio, "three members alone of the North Atlantic agreement pact—the United States, Britain and France—have at present in their armed forces, including ground, air, and naval forces, over 5,000,000 persons, moreover, the number of the armed forces of these three powers continues to grow rapidly, while the industry of these countries already is mobilized for the future increase of armaments production."

BULLETIN

Air Alert

BALBOA, C.Z., Feb. 24 (INS). — Air raid sirens sounded in the Panama Canal Zone tonight for the first time since 1942 when an unidentified plane, flying high and fast, was reported over Gatun. The alert lasted for 50 minutes.

Brigadier Takes Off For Ottawa

Brig. J. M. Rockingham, officer commanding Lorne's Sport Pers. at Fort Lewis, took off from Vancouver airport bound for Ottawa it was learned here last night.

The trip is believed to be directly connected with the recent announcement that the brigade is slated for Korea to join the 25th Canadian soldiers now fighting with the British Commonwealth Brigade.

Although no date has been officially announced of the departure of the brigade from Fort Lewis it is generally believed it will be in the near future.

Training with live ammunition on a brigade level is nearing completion at the United States army camp during the past week and in men are in top fighting shape.

Announcement of the probable departure date is expected to be made in Ottawa some time the week.

Trouble-Plagued Search Fails to Locate Trapper

BARKERVILLE, B.C., Feb. 24 (CP) —Five bedraggled men struggled into this lonely village tonight after a desperate attempt to find trapper James Sikstan in the badlands of Northern British Columbia.

They were near exhaustion after traveling 100 miles on snowshoes and skis in search of the trapper who has vanished in the vast watershed of Swift River, in the North Cariboo three weeks ago.

Barkerville is about 260 miles northeast of Vancouver and the searchers took out for points north last Tuesday.

The official report of the R.C.M.P. is that Sikstan is lost and presumed dead. Evidence showed that he first "misfortune one or two days after packing fresh supplies into the region last January."

It is believed his body lies somewhere along a trail covered with ten feet of snow. The searchers said his body could not be recovered until after the Spring thaw.

The search party was plagued with trouble from the start. R.C.M.P. Constable Al Jessop was buried under an avalanche for two hours and finally rescued. Then game warden Ernie Holmes fell through thin ice on a 300-foot-deep lake. After he was pulled to safety, he stripped naked in ten-below-zero weather while a huge fire dried his clothes.

The party then got lost. After eight hours of wandering the men followed wolverine tracks to a trapline cabin. They made their way to Barkerville after a short rest.

Man's Body Discovered In Stream

The body of 46-year-old Cecil P. Saunders, 1949 Hulford Street, who has been missing since January 22, was recovered in the still-swollen waters of Colquitz Creek yesterday.

A close friend of Saunders, William Johnston, 801 Seymour Avenue, found the body late in the afternoon, wedged in some brush on the north side of the creek, midway between Burnside Road and Margold Avenue.

Saunders, a painter, and father of two, touched off a search by more than 100 volunteers when he disappeared last month. Several people saw him on the day of his disappearance, the last of whom, Chick MacDonald, 2285 Maplewood Street, said Saunders told him he was going downtown to buy some groceries.

He was thought to have been suffering from amnesia.

Johnston and Saanich Police Sergeant Eric Elwell have been according the banks of the creek since search parties gave up their organized attempts to find the missing man.

Sergeant Elwell said the body was so firmly wedged in the bush along the creek bank that he assisted by Johnston, Constables Bob Coleman, Walter Myrick and Funeral Home Director Verne Sands and some of his men, had to cut the undergrowth away before the body could be brought out.

The floods which inundated the Marigold Flats during the time of Saunders' disappearance have begun to subside, but dragging operations still could not be carried out.

Lay Foundation For Dominion Registration

By TOM GREEN
Colonist Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 — High official sources said tonight that work on the drafting of a national registration form for manpower will start almost at once.

"However," authoritative sources stated, "there has been no decision as to when national registration may begin and there will not be any action until we know more definitely whether or not it will be needed."

This draft is slated to be submitted to the National Advisory Council on Manpower at its next meeting. The newly formed council held its inaugural session this week and adjourned at the call of the chair. It is not meeting in Ottawa to take place in about three weeks.

Allies Slog Ahead Against Firm Foe

TOKIO, Feb. 25 (Sunday) (AP)—Allied forces slithered forward today into sectors of increasing Communist resistance along 60 miles of flooded and muddy Korean battlefront.

All along the line—from Seoul in the west to Hoengsong in the central mountains—the Red resistance suffered. Air reports told of enemy activity east of Seoul and a buildup of 10,000 to 15,000 Reds northwest of Hoengsong.

There were indications of tougher going ahead for United Nations troops: Hand-to-hand combat with stubborn Communist Saturday and tank-to-tank gun duelling across the Han River.

EDGE FORWARD

Allied field commanders said their advance, slowed by an early thaw and rain, was edging toward the main Communist defense line.

The Reds' defence-in-depth positions line the north bank of the Han and its flooded rice paddies from Seoul east of Yangpyong, thence over the mountains into the interior of the peninsula.

As the slow-moving U.N. troops methodically sifted out enemy pockets, the U.S. 9th Corps got a new commander—Marine Major-Gen. Oliver P. Smith.

Smith moved up from commander of the U.S. 1st Marine Division to succeed Major-Gen. Bryant E. Moore, who died after a helicopter crash Saturday. First Cpl. Lewis S. Fuller took over the 1st Marines.

Red units up to battalion size were committed to action as the Allies closed in on the main enemy defences. Behind the lines air observers reported "Much enemy activity" about 15 miles east of Seoul north of the Han in a triangle formed by the Han and the tributary Pukhan.

On the central front 10,000 to 15,000 Reds were spotted northwest of Hoengsong, due to all the way to the Hongchon River, ten miles to the north.

U.S. Slashes Use Of Natural Rubber

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (INS).—The Government slashed natural rubber use again today and warned motorists to expect virtually "all synthetic" tires while a labor-historic battle raged over a new wage formula.

The National Production Authority ordered a 2,000-ton monthly cut in consumption of natural rubber for civilian uses and indicated that future tires probably would be about 36 per cent synthetic.

At the same time, labor pressed Economic Stabilizer Eric Johnston for liberalization of the proposed 18 per cent pay increase formula and industry charged that such action would be "unpatriotic, unjust and hazardous."

NAY STRIKE

James B. Carey, president of the C.I.O. Electrical Workers' Union, declared that 60,000 General Electric workers might strike unless the formula was changed to preserve existing cost-of-living contracts.

Carey said the G.E. workers would be due for a nine-cent hourly pay boost March 15 because of increased prices, but that only six cents would be permissible under the formula now before Johnston for approval.

There are reports Johnston will send the formula back to the W.S.B. Monday with recommendations for its modification to allow present cost-of-living escalator clauses to operate.

"SIXTH ROUND"

A statement released by industry members of the W.S.B. charged, however, that alteration of the formula would lead to "a sixth round of wage increases" and constitute "special privileges" for an estimated 2,000,000 out of 40,000,000 non-farm workers covered by "cost-of-living contracts."

They added:

"Under conditions of price control, such an amendment could cause 'the failure of many small businesses.'"

Car Overturns After Collision

P. A. Hendry, 1721 Fairfield Road, escaped with only a bruised arm last night when he was pinned in his car overturned automobile which was in collision with another vehicle at the intersection of Catherine Street and Esquimalt Road.

Driver of the other car, John D. Howes, 3880 Cedar Hill Road, was also uninjured, police said.

Plane Device Times Chute

LONDON, Feb. 24 (Reuters).—A device which "fires" a pilot from his plane and then automatically opens his parachute for him at the "right height.

The mechanism, an improvement on the automatic ejection seat already in use keeps the parachute folded until there is enough oxygen for the pilot to breath.

To work it, the pilot pulls a screen over his head and jettisons the canopy of his cockpit. He is then "fired" into the air at about 60 feet per second.

When clear of the machine a small parachute opens and a timing device takes control and automatically opens the main parachute.

It will bring an airsick down safely even if he has "blacked out."

New Division to Watch Oil Supplies in Canada

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP).—Trade Minister Howe today announced formation of a new petroleum division in his department to give Canada's expanding defence program top priority on a reliable oil supplies.

Dr. O. B. Hopkins, vice-president of Imperial Oil Limited, has been loaned by his company to take on the job of division director.

The job may eventually lead to Government control over oil supplies and possibly a return of the old sort gasoline rationing that prevailed during the World War.

However, at the moment Dr. Hopkins' task will be limited to heading a concerted drive to expand crude oil production and refining, step up oil transportation and see that the defence program does not suffer because of lack of oil supplies.

To do this, he will keep in close touch with the United States Petroleum Administration for Defence in Washington.

"The Government is particularly fortunate in obtaining the services of a man of Dr. Hopkins' calibre," said Mr. Howe. "He is admirably suited for the position because of his long experience in the industry and his intimate association with crude oil producing activities in Western Canada."

Dr. Hopkins will join trade department administrators dealing with steel, metals generally and aircraft production.

Rail Dispute May End Soon

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—A quick end to the two-year-old dispute between railroads and the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen appeared imminent tonight as negotiators temporarily recessed their talks.

Participants in the negotiations withheld further comment after indicating earlier that a break might be coming. Further meetings were planned for tomorrow.

A railroad spokesman had said "it is quite possible that we may reach a settlement with the trainmen before the night is out." W. P. Kennedy, head of the trainmen, told reporters the discussions went "as far as we could tonight."

Tug Rescues Ship Survivors

GUAM, Feb. 25 (Sunday) (AP).—The last 13 survivors of the ill-fated freighter Florentine were snatched from the sea today.

The navy tug Takelma managed when it had picked up a lifeboat with the survivors, who have been the object of a wide search since the 4,986-ton freighter sank in a storm off two Jima Tuesday night.

The captain and 30 others from the ship were picked up earlier by the British freighter Silvermaple.

Apartment Fire Kills Woman

VANCOUVER, Feb. 24 (CP).—One woman died and a number of other persons fled unharmed late tonight when fire lashed through a residential overlay.

First reports said the fire was raging uncontrolled through an apartment building at 4th Avenue and Main Street here.

A fire department spokesman said four pieces of firefighting equipment were at the scene, along with two inhalator crews.

Lumber Strike Is Averted

PORTLAND, Feb. 24 (AP). — The Willamette Valley Lumber Operators' Association tonight agreed to a 1½-cent-an-hour pay increase for some 4,200 Oregon A.F.L. lumber and sawmill workers, a union spokesman said tonight.

"Nesika Illahee"

Remote Areas of Island Described in New Series

The first in a series of articles dealing with remote and practically unknown portions of Vancouver Island appears in the magazine section of today's Colonist.

Author of the stories is Frank Kelley, well known to readers of The Daily Colonist, through his many years of close association with this newspaper as marine editor and special correspondent.

For his highly interesting series "Nesika Illahee," from the Chinook "Our Land."

In telling of his personal experiences on and about little known areas of the Island, he has delved into the period between 1900 and 1918, during which time he roamed on foot, in power craft, canoe, and aboard C.P.R. old-times such as the Queen City, Tees and Willapa.

The central area to be dealt with in the articles extends from Sheringham Point and along the rugged West Coast to Cape Scott, interior portions of the northern section of the Island, and along the east coast up to the Campbell River area.

Mr. Kelley will tell of many of the Island's old-timers and their homesteads, Indian customs, and in his own words, "general out-of-the-way doings" of people he met and places he visited. He will tell of his sailing trip around the "top" of the Island by the West Coast route, and of another motorboat voyage in the opposite direction.

FRANK KELLEY

The articles will be accompanied by photographs taken by the author, and others provided through the Federal Hydrographic Survey and the Provincial Topographic Survey.

Result Known Wednesday

Victoria Woodworkers Cast Votes on Contract

The result of Victoria balloting on acceptance of a new wage contract in the coastal lumber industry will be known Wednesday night.

Roy Whistle, secretary of the Victoria local, International Woodworkers of America (C.I.O.-C.C.L.), says voting on the offer, which includes a wage increase ranging from nine to 18 cents hourly, has just about been completed by the twelve I.W.A. members, and ballot boxes will be in the Johnson Street headquarters by tomorrow night.

After the count on Wednesday, the ballots will be shipped to Vancouver where they will be counted by the union's district officials, before the March 1 deadline.

Meanwhile I.W.A. members in "independent" operations, whose management does not bargain through Forest Industrial Relations Ltd., are voting too, and if the union's membership approves the wage pact, the I.W.A. will "move in" on these companies with a demand that they settle on the same terms as the coastal industry's master contract.

Two Victoria "independent" firms are the Hooks Lake Lumber Company and the Duncan Box Co. Ltd. with a total of more than 100 I.W.A. members.

Ice-Breaker Becomes Rescue Ship

—Central Press Canadian.

Gouging its way through four-foot slabs of ice the icebreaker Atomic is seen on rescue errand going up the swollen Thames River toward Prairie Siding, near Chatham, Ont. Battle by Atomic may save life area from flood in history as river is now nine feet one inch above normal and waters are still rising. Man on ice, shown leading the way, is Burt Johnson of Ambersburg, member of the crew.

The Weather

FORECAST

Victoria, City — Sunny. Winds easterly at 30 m.p.h. during the morning, increasing to 50 m.p.h. by the afternoon. Cooler.

Sunshine Yesterday — 2 hours High Today—46.

48 minutes

Rainfall Yesterday—.06 inch.

Monday Outlook—Sunny.

COLONIST READINGS

	Min.	Max
Downtown	27	40

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max	Precipit
Battleford	12	30	Trace
Calgary	18	36	
Edmonton	12	34	
Winnipeg	24	35	
Toronto	26	36	
Regina	14	32	
Saskatoon	12	36	
Prince Albert	14	34	
Prince Rupert	28	40	
Calgary	19	39	
Kamloops	22	42	
Penticton	29	49	
Vancouver	32	46	
VICTORIA	27	40	
Kimberley	8	30	
Okanagan Valley	21	42	.08
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Prince Rupert Yesterday	32	45	.08
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ALL ABOARD

By G. E. Mortimore

BOURNEMOUTH—Last time I visited the lower bar of Bournemouth Pavilion some eight years ago, it was jammed with noisy airmen, mostly Canadians.

three old men who sat quietly sipping brown ale. I remarked to the barman about the change.

"Coo, you should 'a seen 'em after V-E Day," he said. "Parties every day, for the ones 'oo was going. We open at 'a past ten. Ten o'clock there'd be some of 'em lapping on the floor and reddin' up their wrist watches—quarter after five-and-twenty after and gaw'mess knows what else after.

"Then the place'd be full, and two or three o' 'em down on their hands and knees. Clicking time, I'd say. 'Come on 'e's clean up a bit, and their seconds take any notice. I'd tell 'em again, and a few more times, and finly they'd get 'ahe broken under the armpits and pull 'em off the floor and hump 'em out. Coo, it was shocking."

I said yes, things did have certainly changed since I was here.

"What part you from, then?" the barman asked. I told him I was a Canadian.

"Now no' that a coincidence?" he said. "The chap I served just now was a Canadian. You din' miss 'im by only five minutes. Said 'e 'ad 'ere for a bitta business and a little pleasure. In' that a coincidence, though. 'E came from Montreal. That anywhere near you?"

I said no, Montreal was some distance from Vancouver Island.

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And what did he think of the Australians who came here? I asked. "I sh'll never forget the first Australian who came 'ere," the barman said. "Place was fixed up posh in those days—different kinds of flowers bung in the windows, so the place smelled like a garden.

"Then the Australian came in—regular knock 'e was. And 'e's shouting, down with England and down with the King and all that, and pounding with 'is fist on the bar—ups, the glasses were dancing about. I tell 'em at 18 girls working there.

"The Australian came at six, and I 'ad gettin' ready to sap 'im with a bottle, 'cos I reckoned that was my only chance. Our one 'e was. 'Wot's up, Digger?' I says to 'im. And 'e bangs with 'is fist and the glasses jump up and down.

"Then one of the girls comes over and sez 'You don' wanna take any notice of 'im—that's my cousin from Poole, just emigrated to Australia only last year.' And she leans over and talks to 'im, and 'e shuts up.

"And 'e 'ad the proper Australian accent, too. Rather like Cockney is it."

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We drank only half a pint of beer, but there was a large variety of potables on the shelves—everything from cider to gin.

During the war the supply of beer dwindled and gin was the only spirit available—in small quantities, at that. I remember three airmen, who used to sit around and drink up the entire day's supply of gin in a morning. The supply was one bottle, or less.

One of the two was George Mendes, who has gone back to the wilds of Saskatchewan. The second was Art Tooth, subsequently killed. Few people knew than that Art wrote poetry. He was far Left in his views, and always arguing. (I won't say who the third airman was.)

Art's wife, Helen, a Victoria newspaper-woman, interested a publishing firm in his poems, and they were published posthumously. Some years later, Helen remarried and moved away from Victoria.

I wonder how George Mendes is doing.

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The buxom barmaid at the other end of the bar remembered when the Metropole Hotel was bombed.

"I was working in the Lansdowne at the time," she said. "I jumped into a bottle-basket. Another girl prite up, all covered with dust and plaster, and asks, 'Is everything all right?'

"Well, you're 'ere, aren't you?' I says.

"On V-E day I draw a pint for everyone, on the house. Nearly drove the landlord crazy, but he made it good."

I said I should have thought the landlord would have volunteered to house free beer on such an uncommon occasion.

"They do that in Yorkshire," said the barmaid, a Sheffield woman. "But they don't do it 'ere."

We strolled up to the Lansdowne past the Royal Bath Hotel, operating full blast with its "Bath Tap" and its "Buttery," past the great pink bulk of the Bath Hill Court and other well-remembered buildings.

The Lansdowne Hotel was intact, but the Metropole Hotel, one of several places where I was billeted as an airman, had become an ivy-covered ruin. It received a direct hit from a German bomb at 7 p.m. on May 23, 1943, when most of the occupants were away at the mess hall. Seventy-seven people were killed in Bournemouth that day, and 200 injured, the record says. A Focke-Wulf crashed on a house on Grove Road.

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Grove Road was another of our objectives on this return visit. We threaded our way among the pines to Heathlands, another temporary home I remembered.

It had changed drastically. The bare front room where we had pitched our mattresses on the floor behind the blackout curtains, and the draughty hall where we had shot dice on our hands and knees, were now carpeted, panelled and warmly illuminated. Prosperous folk stared haughtily at us through the bay windows. I had a much illogical feeling that they were intruding on our preserve.

Then we went back to look at my first billet, the old Vale Royal Hotel on the Estate Road hill overlooking the pier. The bottom half of the hotel had become Pumphon Memorial Methodist Church, and the upper half had been converted into offices. Opposite was the Hotel Walmer, which I remembered as a canteen. We groped our way there on the first bewildering night.

Now it was a hotel again, and a uniformed doorman, seeing us mooning around, asked whether there was anything he could do. I said no, we were just looking. So we walked down to the square, changed from a level bus station to a garden roundabout, centred by a clock tower—then back again to the Hants and Dorset bus depot and away to Poole.

Quadruplets Surprise U.S. Couple

BALTIMORE, Feb. 24 (AP)—Mrs. Edward Pappas, looking forward to twins next month, gave birth to quadruplets today. And all she could say was, "Oh, three rooms and a bath."

Pappas, a slight but rugged-looking pipe fitter, was obviously a bit unsettled, but he was trying to take it in stride.

The babies were three first and the babies—two boys and two girls—were "fine." They were placed in incubators immediately after delivery more as precaution than necessity.

The new parents, both 26, are from Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

They live in an upstairs apartment, three rooms and a bath. Pappas said he had planned to move to a new home, "not it'll be big enough."

Mrs. Anderson, in whose house they live, just couldn't get over it.

"When I saw them, the babies kept coming out of the delivery room," she said. "I wanted to run in and tell her, 'I don't mind baby-sitting for one or two, but let's knock this off.'"

The names the Pappas decided on were Patricia Ann, Judith Ann, Richard Charles and Edward Joseph.

Say Arrests Follow Czech Flight

VIENNA, Feb. 24 (AP)—Slant-of-Iron Curtain informers were quoted today as saying five high-ranking Slovak officials recently were arrested in connection with the flight of former Czech foreign minister Vladimir Clementis.

Wilmer Tagesanzeiger, organ of the dominant Austrian People's Party.

STICKS TO STORY

The newspaper stuck to its original story that Clementis, quoted a year ago by the Communists as a Titoist, fled from Prague and probably is hiding in Yugoslavia.

The newspaper also said there has been an increase of Slovak resistance against the Communists.

(Czech refugee sources in Paris reported to International News Service recently that Clementis disappeared soon after he had been delayed by anti-Communist circles in France to warn Marshall Tito that Soviet Russia planned a satellite military attack on Yugoslavia in April.)

Enemy Air Assaults To Bring Retaliation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—United States military leaders are determined to blast Red-held China and Manchuria with massive air raids if the Communists continue their air and sea attacks against United Nations forces fighting Korea.

Army Chief of Staff Gen. J. Lawton Collins said in an interview that passed air or sea attacks by the enemy would trip the trigger of "retaliation."

"We'll strike back," he said. "We'll hit their land and sea bases if they bring out air or sea forces to attack us."

MAY TIME BASES

Such attacks could be launched by fleets of B-29s striking from bases in Okinawa and the islands of Japan—and from carrier-based navy bombers.

Since the Chinese entered the war in October, China and Manchuria have been "off limits" to American airmen. Pilots have strict orders not to fly over the Chinese mainland or to cross over the Yalu River from Korea into Manchuria. They are permitted to strike at the Chinese only on the Korea side of the Yalu River.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur on four occasions has made it clear he regards this situation as unrealistic. He has said this hands-off policy gives the enemy a "privileged sanctuary" from which to mount assaults against his army without fear of retaliation.

The Allied leaders do not want the Korean War to spread beyond the boundaries of Korea if they can avoid it. This is a major reason why the U.S. air force has limited its attacks to hitting only those enemy targets in Korea.

Some Allied officials have said they see power in a desperation bid for victory—the lid will be blown off in the Far East and boundaries will disappear.

"In such a case," Collins said, "there would no longer be a privileged sanctuary for the enemy. The war would enter an entirely new phase, calling for new measures on our part. We would be forced to hit at enemy bases."

Since the green majority of troops in Korea are American, Collins believes the United States would be justified in acting unilaterally in striking at Red bases. But he said he is confident the Allies would approve the action as a defensive measure to protect their own troops fighting in Korea.

CALLED TO BAR

Gerald John Sullivan, Victoria, was called to the Bar and admitted as solicitor before a brothery meeting at the Courthouse yesterday.

CONCERT AT Y.M.C.A.

A four-piece string ensemble will be featured on the Y.M.C.A.'s "transcription" concert in the Y.'s Mural Room at 8 p.m. today.

Local artists taking part are Eunice Stoneley, piano; Ann Tegear, violin; Bert Willis, cello, and Emil Modnacz, bass viol.

Assisting vocalist is Sheila Marino. The concert will feature modern and light classical numbers.

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Dewey Attacks Idea Of "Fortress America"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York today called on Congress to approve the sending of troops to Europe to show the United States is not "turning tail" or "hauling down the flag."

He strongly opposed a resolution by Senator Kenneth Wherry (Neb.), Republican Floor Leader, which disapproved sending more troops to Europe until Congress says so. The administration is planning to send four divisions.

The Wherry proposal is the direct issue before the Senate in the flaming debate over using American foot soldiers in Europe.

Dewey, testifying before two Senate committees, said he favored direct Congressional action approving the sending of troops without restricting the numbers.

Dewey pictured a chain of disaster if the Wherry proposal is adopted. He said:

"The whole world would interpret such action as meaning that the United States has "hauled down its flag. . . . That we had retreated into fortress America."

It would be "direct notice to Stalin that we do not intend to back up our men in Europe and that they and Europe are his for the asking."

Dewey attacked "this fortress America idea." An isolated America would "shrivel up and die from within," he said. To defend it would require 100 combat divisions with a total of 400 divisions of military personnel—and that would be impossible, he said.

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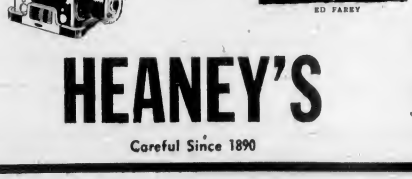

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WEST CENTRAL FRONT, Korea, Feb. 24 (AP)—Major-Gen. Bryant E. Moore, 56, commander of the U.S. 9th Corps, died today shortly after his helicopter crashed in the Han River near the front.

The helicopter suddenly lost power and crashed. Men of a U.S. engineer unit ramped along the river helped Gen. Moore and his injured pilot ashore.

Gen. Moore was taken to the aid of Brig.-Gen. H. J. D. Myers, commander of the 24th Division artillery, where he died. The body was taken to the 9th Corps command post.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur, at his Tokio headquarters, called him "an officer of great skill and courage, and his loss will be keenly felt by this command."

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Officer's Family Awaits Return

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Staying up a little later than usual to have their picture taken, four children of Major Henry D. Tighe poses with their attractive mother. Major Tighe is second-in-command, under Lieut.-Col. J. B. Stone, of Canada's Princess Patricias, now in action in Korea. Mrs. Tighe lives with her children at 764 Snowdrop Avenue in Victoria. Shown are (left to right): Pat and Mary, 1½-year-old twins; Bobby (on mother's knee), 2½-month baby who has never seen her daddy; and Peggy, 3½ years, who remembers and misses him. Joining Loyal Edmontons first day of World War in 1939, Major Tighe won Military Cross in Italy.

Major Henry Tighe in Korea

Wife of Pats' Second-in-Command Waiting Again for Warrior Husband

A dark-haired and pretty young Victoria woman sat with her four children last night and talked about war and the men who go to war.

She is Mrs. Henry D. Tighe of 764 Snowdrop Avenue, whose husband, Major Henry (Pat) Tighe, is second-in-command of Canada's Princess Pats, now in heavy action on a muddy Korean front.

Mrs. Tighe was an English girl who met her husband while he was overseas during the World War with the Loyal Edmonton Regiment.

Major Tighe joined up in 1939, the first day of the war, and saw action in Sicily and Italy, where he was wounded in action and decorated with the Military Cross.

"SENT TO BURMA

After the end of the European fighting, he was sent to Burma with a group of British Army officers, where he served until V-J Day ended the need for the force. Major Tighe was discharged in 1946.

After the war, he and Mrs. Tighe moved to Port Alberni, where they ran a store for a time, then moved to Victoria in 1948.

When the call for the special brigade came, the officer answered the first day, as he had in 1939.

SAME COMMANDER

Major Tighe's C.O. is his wartime commander, Lt.-Col. J. B. Stone, who led the Loyal Edmontons through the Sicilian and Italian campaigns.

Mrs. Tighe's four dark-eyed youngsters are not old enough to know the significance of their father's absence, except for Peggy, the eldest. The little 3½-year-old girl talks about her daddy all the time, Mrs. Tighe said.

The youngest, Bobby, is only 3½ months old and was born while his father was training the "Pats" in Wainwright, Alta.

"He died has never seen him," Mrs. Tighe said.

CALM UNDER FIRE

The twins, Pat and Mary, are 1½ years and judging by their calm repose amid a barrage of popping flash-bulbs, they have inherited some of their father's nerve.

Major Tighe's mother, Mrs. E. Tighe, also lives in the city, at 1710 Hollywood Crescent.

Mrs. Tighe has heard from her husband regularly since he landed in Korea.

"According to his letters," she said last night, "the Canadian troops have made themselves very popular with the Korean people."

Fund Campaign For Red Cross Opens March 1

The annual fund drive of the Red Cross starts here March 1 with 1,200 canvassers set to blanket the city for an objective of $87,000

Twelve voluntary auditors will assist in tallying the returns from canvassing sections which include the outside areas, residential section, service areas, schools and hotels. Greater Victoria will have between 40 to 50 districts for the campaign.

The campaign here is planned to last about two weeks while the national drive will last throughout the month. It is hoped that Victoria will be the first city in Canada to arrive at its quota.

Campaign headquarters are at Red Cross House at 1046 Fort Street and the telephone there is G orden 0818.

Two Churches Will See Film

Heathen customs in the jungles of South America is the subject of a new Moody Bible Institute soundcolor film, "To Every Creature," to be shown at two city churches next week.

The movie will be presented Monday at 8 p.m. in the Alliance Tabernacle, 1039 Yates Street, and Friday at 8 p.m. at the Central Baptist Church on Pandora Avenue.

Filmed by Los Angeles branch director of the Moody Institute, Dr. Irwin Moon, the movie demonstrates the work of missionaries who have undergone hardships and often narrowly escaped death on jungle trails.

The film emphasizes the training of missionary technicians as pilots, and for maintenance, repair, communication and photography work in the mission field.

Around Town

—With Additional District News on Page 35—

Last-Minute Sponsor Appears For Symphony Concert Monday

A last-minute sponsor — anonymous until the programs appear Monday—stepped forward yesterday to the aid of the Victoria Symphony's Monday night concert.

The Monday appearance is the second-last concert of the season for the local symphony.

The so-far nameless sponsor came to the rescue after reading a Daily Colonist story Saturday that the symphony would welcome "eleventh-hour assistance."

Programs for the concert were reported being held up as the Victoria Symphony Society Inc. sought a sponsor.

Late yesterday the presses were rolling with the blank spot in the program satisfactorily filled.

STYMIED

The orchestra has a sponsor for its last concert of the season, but found itself in difficulties until almost the last minute for the Monday night show.

Sponsorship involves a cash investment of $750 toward the $3,500 expenditure necessary before the symphony orchestra is seated in the Royal Theatre and is poised ready to sound the first concert note.

Dividends on the $750, Symphony Society members pointed out, include the satisfaction of assisting in the promotion of the city's no. 1 cultural activity.

B.C. Electric Workers Accept Company's Offer

Victoria bus drivers joined 3,200 other B.C. Electric Railways Company transit employees in voting acceptance of a two-year wage contract.

Members of the Street Railwaymen's Union (A.F.L.-T.L.C.) here and in Vancouver and New Westminster "voted overwhelmingly" in favor of the new contract settlement, which gives them a 12-cent hourly increase March 1 this year, and an additional four cents hourly as the same time next year, union officials here said.

Also won were three weeks' paid vacations after ten years' service and a $15 weekly increase in sickpay benefits.

New Estimates Blow To Hopes for Tax Cut

Hopes of reducing Victoria's tax rate seemed doomed to disappointment in the gloomy light of the latest expenditure estimates this week.

Earlier, the mayor's inaugural address had emphasized a desire to reduce the mill rate in the light of a drop from 1949's record-breaking 55 mills.

Yesterday it seemed apparent the mill rate might soar instead of dropping. The new rate was forecast in the vicinity of 58 mills.

"It will be a herculean task to reduce the mill rate in th eight of expenditures," the mayor said. "Somebody will have to go without services if the rate is lowered."

ADDED COSTS

Added expenditures—not mentioned in the inaugural address—included a $70,000 increase for teachers' salaries, $218,000 added school costs, $30,000 more in debt charges and a $17,000 increase in superannuation costs

Adding gloom to the picture is the fact all city purchases of materials are up 20 per cent over the 1950 expenditure according to City Comptroller Henry Watson.

Various city staffs are now negotiating for wage agreements—another factor that could affect the final mill rate.

Recital Given By Arion Choir In Legion Hall

The Overseas Nursing Sisters' Branch of the Canadian Legion presented the Arion Male Voice Choir in recital at the Britannia Branch Auditorium Thursday night

Graham Steed, who conducted the choir, gave an informal commentary on each selection. Excellent support was given to both choral and solo numbers by Mrs. Helen McVie, accompanist.

Soloists were James A. McVie, tenor, and Stanley Martin, baritone. Mr McVie sang "My lovely Celia" and Orlando Morgan's "Chloriinda." Mr. Martin was heard in Dvorak's "Coin' Home" and "Trees."

OLD SEA SHANTY

The group was led by Tom Kelsey, by special request, in the old sea shanty "Johnnie Comes Down to Hilo" and Dave Stewart led the audience in community singing at intermission.

Refreshments were served by members of the Nursing Sisters' committee.

Choir officials said the next appearance of the choral group will be at Shawnigan Lake, March 8, under the auspices of the United Church.

'Mum Society Sets Meeting

Quiet speaker at the Victoria and District Chrysanthemum Society meeting in the City Hall at 8 p.m. March 1 will be O. H. Crabtree, B.Sc., N.D.A., of Vancouver.

Mr. Crabtree's subject will be "Soils and Fertilizers."

The meeting will be open to the public.

P.C. MEETING CALLED

Victoria Federal Progressive Conservative Association special meeting will be held in St. Mary's Hall, Tate street, (Oak Bay), at 8.00 p.m. on Friday.

Cowichan Indian Opera 'Tzinquaw' To Play Five Performances Here

The colorful Cowichan Indian play "Tzinquaw" arrives here March 14 for four evening performances and one matinee.

It will be given by the Kiwanis Club of Victoria and presented by the Cowichan Players Ltd of Duncan, the colorful legend of the Cowichan tribe will be one of the Victoria season's outstanding productions.

It took more than eight years to the costumes

PATRON

The Lieutenant-Governor has sent his patronage to this presentation.

Tom Ribain, a representative of the B.B.C., will attend the play during his tour of Canada

A special matinee has been arranged for children March 17.

Ichan Bay—an age-old tribal legend. It was first staged at Duncan last November and was the first time that such an opera had been attempted in America.

Oldest member of the cast is 85-year-old Johnny Bear, the youngest is a babe in arms.

The entire script, words and music were written by Frank Morrison. The play is produced and directed

menous research was needed to discover the old songs and stories and to gain the confidence of the Indians so that they would allow their traditional songs and dances to be used for public performance.

TELLS OF BATTLES

"Tzinquaw" tells the tale of the Thunderbird and Killer Whale and their battle in the waters of Cow-

Theatre can be obtained by mail order from the Royal Theatre. The box office will open for business next Friday.

ROAD CLOSED

The Island Highway will be closed at Kokuhab from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. today

Announcement from the Provincial Department of Public Works

Road and Tsouhalem Road to Duncan.

The road closure was ordered to permit construction of an overhead logging bridge at Kokuhab.

KIPLING SOCIETY

The regular monthly meeting of the Kipling Society will be held at 8 p.m. Wednesday at 317 Cook Street.

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The Obligations of a Citizen

CANADA is a young and its scattered population too segregated to have developed a uniform consciousness of what is characteristic of Canadian citizenship. It is when a Canadian goes abroad that he discovers that he is different, in some sense at least, from other peoples of the earth and wherein the difference rests. It is not easily put into words, and yet we all of us know subconsciously when an individual in this land is acting normally and when he is not. The answers begin to crystallize when we ask ourselves the question what are the obligations of a citizen? They may be as different as individuals are diverse, yet the sum of such answers will suggest and will be the norm.

What are the obligations of a citizen, in these disturbed times? It is a highly personal question and each one is free to supply his own answers, yet on their sum will rest our national character and reputation in the world. Freedom of religion, freedom of the person and freedom of expression are common to every British land, and they are less so in Canada. We have begun to recognize, as has most of the world, that these freedoms must not degenerate into licence, that no one will ever be free to wreck liberty itself under the guise of free action and free thought. Short of that, however, this is a free land and by tradition a tolerant one. About the broad world Canadians are far more apt to observe and to learn, than to condemn or criticize for the sake of finding fault.

Something more positive is needed, however, than mere adherence to abstract freedoms, however excellent in themselves. A Canadian should stand for something in his own right. It is expected of him that he will be self-energizing, co-operative, progressive, active in his own affairs and in those of the community, the nation and the world. What he owes to himself, his family and his God may be the personal factor, but it is one that no true Canadian can forget in these challenging times. Nations or men, we get back out of life what we put into living, each day as it comes.

Wishes of the Majority Should Prevail

IN matters like daylight saving time the wishes and convenience of the majority should be studied first. The majority in this case is made up of urban dwellers who like to enjoy an extra hour of sunlight after a day's work indoors, while the minority is composed of farmers (and not the entire farming community either) who maintain that it makes a nervous wreck of the cows and upsets country routine generally.

It is a virtual certainty that a plebiscite on this issue would merely confirm what is well known from past experience: that Summer time suits an overwhelming majority in British Columbia. The Government's reluctance to incur the heavy expense of putting the question to a special vote between elections can therefore be appreciated.

The issue comes up with monotonous regularity about this time every year, and it seems a pity that it cannot be made a matter of continuing policy to save the perennial fuss and bother. Vancouver's charter right to decide the question either way on its own account is a complicating factor, of course, but surely there must be ways of overcoming that difficulty, for the general good of the province.

Short of a set policy for all British Columbia, the order in council method of achieving uniformity sought by the Government there" just five years is the most practical solution. As Mayor George points out, nothing but confusion can result from leaving it to individual municipalities to decide for themselves. The sooner the necessary order is issued the better.

Awarding a Peace Prize Presents a Problem

NO doubt the twenty-eight nominees for the 1951 Nobel Peace Prize have done something substantial to merit their candidature, else they would scarcely be considered by the Oslo committee which awards the prize. Peculiarly enough, however, many of them are quite unknown to the world at large, so that different efforts towards universal peace have apparently been carried on, like many good works, in secret.

The list is a varied one, indeed, and must present a puzzle to the selectors. How is a businessman who organizes a tour for young Europeans in America, for instance, to be assessed in comparison with an anti-Communist labor leader? What does one draw a line between a social scientist and a university law professor? That of course is for the Oslo committee to determine, but the possible choice is intriguing.

It is perhaps strange to find only two world statesmen rated as worthy of inclusion in the short list, Prime Minister Nehru and Britain's Sir Hartley Shawcross. Publicity at least no group has sought world peace more widely than two-score and more of the delegates who attend sessions of the United Nations, yet these international figures are ignored. It may also be worthy of note that among the organizations mentioned in the running the United Nations itself, the premier world body seeking peace has no place.

No one behind the Iron Curtain comes into the picture either, which must mean that the so-called peace movements of the Communists have been properly tagged for what they are—false. That much at least the Oslo committee has recognized in weeding out the claims that make the Nobel Peace Prize among the more interesting of modern distinctions.

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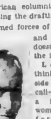
—London Express Service.

Thinking Aloud

"... of shoes—and ships—and sealing wax—and cabbages and kings."

By TOM TAYLOR

AN American columnist has been discussing the drafting of women into the armed forces of his country, and — well, he doesn't cotton to the idea.



Logic, he thinks, is on the side of a female call-up, and it's fact that women in uniform shortened the last war, but it goes against his grain to order a woman to military duty.

If she wants to volunteer, fine; but otherwise, no.

His discussion isn't so academic as you might think, for the boss-lady of the United States Waves is the last war, as he terms her, has actually come forward with just such a suggestion.

For Canada, of course, any such proposition is quite out of this world. No boss lady of the erstwhile Cwacs, Wrens or W.D.s is going to be that brash, if only because this is one sphere where politicians taken a back seat—the ladies don't go first. The male of the species hasn't yet been co-opted by official decree.

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And, frankly, I doubt but that will be yet awhile, which should please organizations which think Canada should just be an arsenal—make the guns and let some forelimer fire them. This isn't a philosophy calculated to endear anyone to a Princess Pat peering at the enemy, nor is it a manly one, but some queer folk subscribe to it—even in Victoria.

I wonder would they change their minds if their boys were killed overseas in Korea.

But to get back to the girls, always an attractive theme. As the Amarillo columnist says, a pretty girl not only entertainers a melody but from time to time is more valuable than penicillin. Not every girl in a uniform is—er—pretty, perhaps, but then isn't beauty only skin deep?

No, there will be no military call-up of the girls in Canada — not in my time, unless a miracle (or a calamity) occurs. But I fancy you'll see lots of them in uniform pretty soon, just the same.

Voluntarily, of course.

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Trial balloons have already been sent up in Ottawa, and the idea is now past the toying stage. Any day now we may expect recruiting to open for the girls, maybe with the R.C.A.F. giving the lead.

I'll be surprised, too, if they don't rush to the colors in their thousands.

Well, the country could do with them again. They're handy as well as decorative, and there's half-a-hundred jobs they could do as nearly as the men they would replace. About 50,000 of them proved that in the last.

You understand what's behind the trial balloons, naturally. The volunteer recruiting system for males is a flop, and anything that can be induced to reactivate things, as officialese loves to phrase it, is welcome as the sun will be in Victoria the day you read this.

I should say so.

The last statement I saw on recruiting said, I think, that if the present intake kept up we should have about 119,000 men, all told, in three years! Obviously, anyone satisfied with that figure should have his head examined, and since the blue pillbreed brass don't like their mental processes probed too deeply — why, how about the girls? They'll just love to look chic in a uniform.

That they will, bless them.

They'll be doing a double stint, too. They'll be doing their bit in their own right, and they'll be saving the skins of their political bosses.

Good luck be with them when they line up, as I'm no doubt they will soon. It's a pity, though, that girls have to show man the way.

Gerald Waring

Reporting From Ottawa

IT may be a sign of the times—Government economy and all that, but it's a serious thing to a lot of newlyweds, this Government action to stop paying for stenographers' honeymoons.

Ah, the relevant order-in-council P.C. 5090, doesn't put it exactly that way. But that's the effect.

To start with, P.C. 5090 disqualifies every married woman from receiving unemployment insurance benefits for two years after her marriage. Then comes the gimmick—this doesn't apply if she works 90 days starting on either the day after her marriage, if she was unemployed when she married, or the day after she gives up the job she had when she got married.

Only exceptions are those laid off for lack of work or because their bosses won't employ married women, and those whose husbands die, desert, separate or become crippled.

That means that the poor working girl, who's contributed to the unemployment insurance fund maybe for years without drawing any benefits, no longer can look to the Government to help launch her into marital bliss.

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Previously, if, when she married, she told her boss what she thought of him, he'd obligingly fire her, and she could draw unemployment insurance for a number of weeks while she and hubby set up housekeeping.

With charming feminine logic, many women argue that since they'd paid their hard-earned contributions into the fund, they should reap some benefit when they leave the labor force to marry.

The Government doesn't see it that way. Unemployment insurance isn't a savings plan, officials point out. And so people retiring from employment are no more entitled to draw from it than you and I would be entitled to something from the fire insurance company if we had paid fire insurance premiums but never had a fire.

What started me digging into this matter of P.C. 5090 was a curious question asked in the Commons the other day. Stanley Knowles, the lean and lanky reverent gentleman who sits with the CCF and represents the voters of Winnipeg North Centre, queried Labor Minister Gregg on the order-in-council.

"Have protests been received?" Knowles asked. "Is consideration being given to revising or dropping it?"

Gregg replied, "The answer to the first question is yes. To the second question the answer is no." Whereupon Knowles muttered darkly, "You'll hear from me again."

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Well, Maritimer Gregg didn't look scared. So I asked Knowles what it was all about.

He admits that Government financing of stenos' honeymoon is an anomaly which should have been nipped out—as it was. But he also contends that in nipping it out, the Government created more anomalies than it abolished.

For example, Gertrude Y. is single, out of work. Since registered with the National Employment Service as willing to work, but there is no work, she gets unemployment insurance. Then she marries and although she's still eager to work, she is cut off unemployment insurance.

Maybe the answer is that she should not marry. But that's too pat for Knowles—especially when he can instance other situations in which P.C. 5090 could cause unwarranted hardship.

And besides, we want our girls to marry.

The Packsack

OF GREGORY CLARK

THE human race may be getting too tall. The medical profession is likely to be faced shortly with the job of discovering some sort of injection that will keep the up-and-coming generation somewhere around a decent five foot six or eight. In fact, speaking for myself, a nice five foot three is a good handy size.

Boarding schools have for some years reported a decided increase in the length of children. Many schools have been put to the expense of buying an entire outfit of new beds to accommodate an ever-increasing size in their boarding public, as well as new and larger school-room desks and other equipment. The clothing and allied industries must be feeling this situation, too. As the result, probably, of great strides in public health and in the science of nutrition, we are developing a race of long-legged people, when, as anybody knows, legs have to be only long enough to reach the ground.

The problem is extremely involved. Here, at the moment that we are reducing the size of human dwellings, we are increasing the size of human beings. Motor cars are definitely becoming smaller. Pullman coaches are offering tinier and tinier roomettes. Movie theatres are being refurnished with all sorts of trick sliding seats, so that more of them can be installed in any given space. Yet we concentrate on making people larger.

What, after all, is to be gained by lengthening the human being? In the army, it is the tall, limber fellow who falls out on the line of march. Who is it that is always leaning up against a wall? A poor chap with a long back. Whose feet are always sticking out in the aisle? Whose head is always getting bumped? Who is always expected to do the manly thing when trouble starts? Whose neck is always sticking out?

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EXPRESS THANKS

Sir,—Please allow my wife and I to use the medium of your paper to express our heartfelt thanks to all those people who so kindly came forward with their help and sympathy during the past week of anxiety over our daughter, Enid, who had become a victim of amnesia in Vancouver.

Particularly we express thanks to The Daily Colonist which did so much to aid in reuniting us.

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HOSPITAL BEDS

Sir,—Re shortage of hospital beds: The regulation that provides that in order to obtain free X-ray and laboratory tests an injured person must first occupy a bed in a hospital is so obviously against the interest of the hospitals that it calls for some explanation.

There is no doubt that numbers of people are hospitalized because of this regulation who could very well be treated as out-patients.

However, when the treatment or examination as an out-patient may cost the individual as much as $50 to $100, most people will naturally wish to avoid themselves of their right to hospitalization, and so save this amount. Thus beds are being occupied that could be used by more needy cases.

EDGAR O. JOHNS

3125 Landowne Road, Victoria, B.C.

FAMILY ALLOWANCES

Sir,—It is evident from the letter of Barbara M. Green that there is some confusion of thought in the matter of social service allowances as between the provinces and the Dominion. To quote: "Surely the Government cannot expect a child to live on the $8 a month family allowance."

The $8 a month family allowance is a Federal subsidy payable to well-to-do and needy alike. It was not instituted to provide a living for a family, but was the device of a very skewed political group to perpetuate the Federal-Liberal regime through a measure designed to appeal to women voters. The idea appears to have been that women being unable to figure out the source of this liberal handout, would accept it with gratitude to the prominent donors, remembering them in their bedside prayers and their polling booth crosses.

To Me a Kingdom Is

My mind to me a kingdom is;
Such present joys therein I find
That it excels all other bliss
That earth affords or grows by kind.
Though much I want that most would have,
Yet still my mind forbids to crave . . .

* * *

I see how plenty suffers oft,
And hasty climbers soon do fall;
I see that those which are aloft
Mishap doth threaten most of all;
They get with toil, they keep with fear.
Such cares my mind could never bear.

* * *

Content I live, this is my stay.
I seek no more than may suffice.
I press to bear no haughty sway.
Look what I lack my mind supplies
Lo, thus I triumph like a king,
Content with that my mind doth bring.

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Some have too much, yet still do crave;
I little have, and seek no more.
They are but poor though much they have,
And I am rich with little store.
They poor, I rich; they beg, I give;
They lack, I leave; they pine, I live . . .

—SIR RICHARD DYER.

He gave man speech, and speech created thought,
Which is the measure of the universe.

—SHELLEY.

War on Against "Sunday Drivers"

(From The Buffalo Courier-Express).

PUBLIC opinion in New Jersey appears to have focused resolutely on the motoring creep who delays long lines of cars by driving too slowly. A bill introduced in the state legislature calls for a $50 fine or a 15-day jail sentence for the offense.

The creeper makes himself a nuisance the country over, particularly in milder weather when traffic grows heavier. Slow to respond to a horn signal to keep to the right, he causes special trouble on roads wide enough for only two cars, making it dangerous for others to pass him.

The vehicle he operates at a snail's pace is likely to be dangerously antiquated. The creeper figures prominently in the class of motorists unpopularly known as "Sunday drivers." No one should be allowed to impede highway traffic with impunity.

Victoria in Beard and Crinoline

—Brian Files of The Daily British Colonist for February, 1864

By G. E. MORTIMORE

THE Duke of Newcastle, Britain's Colonial Secretary, was up favor of uniting the colonies of Vancouver Island and Mainland British Columbia, if the majority of the people there wanted it.

An anonymous private citizen who had called on the duke in London conveyed this information to The Daily British Colonist in a letter.

"The resolutions lately adopted, almost unanimously by our Legislative Assembly," remarked The Colonist, "will convince His Grace that such a wish is strongly entertained by a majority of the inhabitants of this island . . ."

The people also wanted a joint civil list—one set of officials for both colonies. This would be an economy measure and a step toward union.

"The policy of the resolutions is a union policy; they aim at the only true way of bringing about that; end, by gradually smoothing away every obstacle which might tend to keep the colonies apart, by gradually assimilating their interests, and preventing that antagonism which must be engendered . . . between rival states."

The relationship between Vancouver Island and British Columbia was much the same as the relationship which had existed between the Maritimes and Canada (meaning today's Ontario and Quebec).

"We are Nova Scotia, with her commercial enterprise, her forests, fisheries and minerals. British Columbia is Canada, with her large extent of valuable inland territory. The policy which is now so strongly urged in those colonies . . . should be ours."

Our morning contemporary, with his usual presumption, settles the question now and for ever. He gravely assumes that the two colonies are fully and completely separated, and deliberately replies over the heads of the colony.

"Like Uriah Heep, he is meekly glad to 'shine by the reflected glory' of our neighbors . . . 'If,' he says, 'our expectations of the gold, copper, coal, timber and Fur Seals resources of this colony substantial,' we may manage to crawl along in the wake of our flourishing neighbor.

"Unless we are sentient to accept the lately position so highly appreciated by our contemporary—to become a petty 'one-horse' dependency like Prince Edward Island . . . we must hope for the success of the policy laid down in the resolutions now, we trust, en route to the Imperial Secretary of State."

Fun, Fact and Fiction

Four years of research at the University of Michigan produces the conclusion that the world gripper is usually the best worker. Come to think of it, it's the stationary, relaxed character who says "I live in here."

* * *

The traditional adviser to stand erect is unnatural and wrong, says an expert, who advises going under our true colors, like the round-shouldered taxpayers we are.

* * *

Dentist—Big-shouldered type arms and making faces. I haven't even touched your teeth yet.

Patient—I know, but you're standing on my foot.

* * *

"Uh huh, I guess there's a lot of it going around" is what you get when it was sympathy you were after.

—The Manchester Guardian

UNDERSTATEMENT

To a discussion of the supposed English tendency to understatement, one of the speakers contributed what he considered to be the most perfect example he had ever personally encountered.

He was, he said, in a Liverpool air raid shelter during one of the severe raids of May, 1941. Several bombs had dropped frighteningly close, and the inferno was raging as the fierce wave his grandmother looked up plaintily from her knitting.

"It's a pity," said she, in tones of mild reproach, "that they haven't got something better to do."

—The Manchester Guardian

End of Cold War Seen Price of German Pact

—EUROPE TODAY—

By KINGSBURY SMITH

PARIS, Feb. 24.—Some Allied diplomatic sources predicted today that the Western Powers prior for military neutralization of Germany would be virtual abandonment by Russia of the cold war in Europe.

These sources said that if the Soviet leaders really wanted a settlement that would assure lasting peace in Europe, they could get it at the next Big Four Foreign Ministers' conference which may be held this Spring.

The price, however, would involve a historic change in Soviet foreign policy. It would mean, in effect, renunciation by Russia for years to come of the great power politics struggle for Communist domination of Europe.

REALISTIC TERMS

High-ranking diplomatic sources told International News Service that the only realistic conditions on which the Western Powers could agree to the military neutralization of Germany would be the following:

1. Political and economic unification of Germany on the basis of internationally-supervised free elections.

2. An arrangement providing for the return of German refugees to their native homes in the eastern part of Germany from which they were expelled when Russia and Poland annexed the territory after the last war.

3. A reduction of at least 50 per cent in Russia's armed forces in order to reassure Europe as to Moscow's peaceful intentions.

TREATY LEVELS

4. Disarmament of the Soviet satellite states of Eastern Europe to the level provided for by the peace treaties and similar reductions in the Polish and Czecho-Slovakian armies.

5. An effective international system of inspection and control which would operate within Russia as well as in Europe generally to see that there were no violations of these disarmament agreements.

6. Cessation of Soviet-inspired Communist propaganda attacks.

7. Gradual restoration of political freedom to the Eastern European states now under Soviet domination.

Those are the terms which leading Western Allied diplomats consider as the only sound basis for a peace settlement with Russia in Europe which would warrant an agreement for the military neutralization of Germany.

NO REAL HOPE

No real hope is held that the Soviet Government would agree to such an understanding in the near future.

It is anticipated that the Soviets may, however, offer very substantial concessions in respect to Germany, including wrangling to have free elections held under international supervision in return for the military neutralization of that country.

The Communists have even been spreading rumors in Western Germany that Russia would, as part of a general agreement in respect to that country, facilitate the return of German refugees to some of the Eastern German territories acquired by Poland.

Reports also have been circulated by Communist circles in Western Europe that Russia would open the markets of Eastern Europe and China to France, Great Britain, Italy and other Western European countries if agreement were reached for the military neutralization of Germany.

Sheet Metal Shortage Hits Chemical Firms

LONDON, Feb. 24 (Reuters). — A sheet-metal shortage threatens production of British-made chemicals, Imperial Chemical Industries said today. The big combine said it has difficulty finding containers for alkalis essential for the manufacture of aluminum, glass, paper, dyes and drugs.

Heart of Army Rifle Perfected by Convict

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP).—Most prisons encourage convicts to develop a useful skill. But few would assist a prisoner in making guns.

David Williams was an exception. As a convict in a prison farm near Caledonia, N.C., he was allowed to further his interest in guns, to invent new parts and test his weapons.

The result was the "short-stroke piston," a vital part of the United States Army's carbine.

While in prison, Williams also developed the floating-chamber principle used in the army's 22-calibre training machine-gun and in various sport rifles and pistols.

Today, his prison career 30 years behind him, Williams at 60 is a highly-respected inventor of gun parts. He gets royalties from more than 60 patents.

Thirty years ago Williams turned to making "moonshine" whisky during prohibition to support his bride.

STILL DOESN'T KNOW

One of his stills was raided. Shots were fired and a deputy sheriff was killed. "Frankly," Williams says now, "to this day I do not know who killed the deputy sheriff."

He pleaded guilty to second-degree murder "rather than risk going to the electric chair," and in 1924 was sentenced to 30 years.

After a year, he began drawing gun designs although he never had had any training in mechanical drafting or drawing.

"My drawing board," he recalls, "was my knees and my drawing paper a piece of cardboard."

Thus was born the floating-chamber principle and the short-stroke piston.

Williams asked to be allowed to make a gun model. To his surprise, Capt. R. T. Peeples, the prison warden, said yes.

In 1928 Williams was given a full pardon and ten years later he went to work for the Winchester Arms Company. There he perfected his contribution to the development of the army carbine.

Oddities

PITCHBURG, Mass., Feb. 24 (CP).—Lionel J. Raymond, a painting contractor, entered a larceny complaint at police headquarters yesterday.

He said a $35 paint sprayer and three gallons of paint were stolen just as he finished painting police headquarters.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 24 (AP).—Patrolman Richard Dunzynski was suspicious when he noticed a thread of light coming from a canvas-covered office window.

He proved noisy and saw two men, an acetylene torch and a safe.

Seven carloads of police, with drawn guns, descended on the scene.

The startled workmen looked up from the pipe they'd been cutting with the torch.

"Been doing a little remodeling," they explained.

PORTSMOUTH, Va., Feb. 24 (AP).—Morning after 'morning for 28 years, Miss Flora Kaplan walked the four blocks from her home to the Norfolk Naval Shipyard. She was never late to work.

On her 4,771st morning, Miss Kaplan accepted a ride in an automobile. The car was caught in a traffic jam and Miss Kaplan punched in late.

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., Feb. 24 (AP).—Volmar M. Yeager, 41, a farmer, and his lost thumb are together again today.

An alert motorist saw the thumb on the street after Yeager's motorcycle had collided with an automobile. The motorist took the thumb to the hospital where Yeager had arrived 30 minutes earlier.

The attending physician sewed the thumb back on "with apparent good results," he reported.

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Norway's Prince

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A new portrait of the Norwegian heir Prince Harald, who celebrated his 44th birthday on February 21.

One Job Done in Korea, Americans Pause at Han

WESTERN FRONT, Korea, Feb 24 (AP).—Lieut.-Gen. Frank Milburn's First Corps today sits quietly confident on the south bank of the Han River across from Seoul. Its first job since the Allies regained the Korean minaiaire is completed.

In a drive that began almost exactly a month ago, the American divisions and attached Allied units drove from the south across a six-mile front to reach the present position.

The drive marked a departure in UN tactics in Korea—and the first Allied victory over the Chinese Communists.

COMB RUGGED HILLS

Carefully and methodically, the Allied push, kicked off from prepared positions south of Osan where the first American soldier died in this war, combed the rugged hills that barred the road to the South Korean capital of Seoul.

The 25th Division, with its tough 27th Regiment in the vanguard, drove up the main Osan-Seoul road. The Third Division slogged through to the Pak'ul, British, Turkish and South Korean units were united in the drive.

Disrupted were sweeping armor thrusts by the Communists, but Matthew B Ridgway outlined the strategy.

"For every daylight hour to seek out and destroy the enemy," he ordered. "Infinite maximum casualties and sustain a minimum of your own. Withdraw to strong enemy defence positions at night. Search every pace of ground. Do not push on until you have eliminated every Communist."

USE HEAVY FIRE

Fantastically heavy concentrations of artillery and air power were used to pave the way for the foot-sloggers.

Hills were pounded and fire-bombed and then pounded again. Then the infantry climbed them and killed the enemy, dug in on the slopes.

At first the troops found fanatical resistance. They used bayonets and rifles and courage and grind the Chinese and North Koreans off the hills.

Then, two weeks after the push to the north had begun, the main defence line cracked. The Chinese fled to the north of the Han and left only a small-screening force of North Koreans.

The last few days were easy. Tank columns were organized and they pounded clear to the river. Pop 10 Yongdongpo, Seoul's industrial suburb, fronts the harbor; and Kimpo, its big airfield, fell to Allied might. #

Pope's Records Recalled As 75th Birthday Nears

ROME, Feb 25 (AP).—Pope Pius XII, who March 2 celebrates his 75th birthday and the 12th anniversary of his pontificate as the "Pope of Peace," has established many records.

But the one for which he may be remembered years hence is this:

He has met more people than any Pontiff thus far in the nearly 2,000 years of the Roman Catholic Church.

Pope Pius has met millions—rulers and masses—in private and special audiences and in the greatest general audiences ever held by a pontiff.

Nearly all the 4,000,000 Holy-Year pilgrims who came to Rome last year were received in general, special or private audiences. Several times St. Peter's Basilica, the world's biggest church, was unable to hold the throngs and the Pope, carried on his portable throne passed through the square to bless them.

During August and September at his Castel Gandolfo Summer residence, an impromptu audience developed into a regular five-day weekly event.

Sometimes the Pontiff appeared three times daily on the little Castel Gandolfo balcony.

During the Holy Year, it is estimated that the Pontiff gave about 1,500 hours to more than 8,000 audiences of all kinds and spoke to them on subjects that ranged from philosophy to tobacco.

The Holy Year brought to a focus all the problems of a pontiffate that has been one of the most arduous in the church's history.

The day it began, March 2, 1939, war clouds shadowed the world. When war came the Pope turned his attention to alleviating the 10th firing of his victims. He organized relief and an information service for prisoners of war.

Meanwhile, the fight grew between the church and materialistic Communism. The end of the war, leaving 50,000,000 Roman Catholics under Communist influence, emphasized it.

In his many speeches to representatives of governments and groups from all walks of life, the Pontiff urged social reforms as a necessary means of turning aside the threat of Communism.

The Holy Year, meanwhile, progressed to its most important ceremony: the announcement, November 1 of the dogma of the assumption into heaven, body and soul, of the Virgin Mary.

It was the first time that a dogma was proclaimed in St. Peter's Square, and the first in nearly 100 years proclaimed by a Pontiff.

Officers and members of Victoria Police Mess (Lodge of the L.O.B.A.) will meet at Centennial Square at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday to attend the funeral of Brother A. Doughty

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Gunners Becoming Expert Map Readers

MILITARY ACTIVITIES

By TREVOR COLLINS

Members of 155 Battery of the 5th B.C. Coast Regiment are rapidly turning into map-reading specialists under the direction of Capt. W. G. Stevens, who puts them through their paces once a week at Bay Street Armoury.

Capt. Stevens, who is a Victoria lawyer, has rage of militarily as a member of the battery will benefit from his experience.

He joined the Royal Engineers in England in 1939 at 18 and went to France with the British Expeditionary Force. He was evacuated from St Malo in June, 1940. He was posted to the Indian Army in 1941 and was commissioned in 1942.

After serving in the Middle East, he was promoted to captain in 1944 and on demobilization as a paratrooper, was given command of a British artillery troop of the 2nd Indian Airborne Division in Burma.

He came to Canada in 1946 and joined the reserve unit as battery captain.

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OVER STRENGTH

Recruiting for No. 39 (Kinmond) Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron at Macaulay Camp has passed the establishment called for by air force headquarters and only a few more boys will be taken on strength, Pilot-Lieut. W. J. Keyton, commanding officer, announced yesterday.

The unit has about 115 cadets in an establishment that calls for 108. Cadet headquarters are jammed every parade night.

Boys wishing to join the unit are requested to attend the Wednesday or Friday parades as soon as possible before recruiting is cut off.

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LONG WAY

158 Battery of the 35th H.A.A. Regiment has come a long way since it was organized last year to fill the need for a Heavy Army unit at Patricia Bay airport.

The unit has taken over the reception hall on the east camp and has set up heavy anti-aircraft equipment in one of the hangars.

BGT. J. D. HELPS

Plans are to increase the strength of the unit this year and new recruits from the Saanich Peninsula are urgently needed.

Among veterans to join the unit is Bgt. J. D. Helps, who served with the 42nd H.A.A. Battery, R.C.A., and attended the anti-aircraft school at Macaulay Camp.

He was posted overseas in 1942 and served with the 3rd H.A.A. Regiment in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany.

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PAY PARADE

Members of the 35th H.A.A. Regiment have been asked to attend three pay parades: 155 Battery, Wednesday; 156 Battery, Thursday; and 160 Battery, R.H.Q., and the band on Friday.

VISIT CANCELLED

A visit to H.M.C.S. Ontario, scheduled for today, has been cancelled. The cruiser leaves for Australia Monday.

TRAINING OFFICER

Lieut. L. A. Stillings, R.C.I.C., has been attached to the 40th Technical Squadron as training officer.

W.O.2 Bert Drysdale, unit armoury and warrant Pacific Command armourer, plans to start an armourer's course soon. Interested personnel should report to the orderly room.

Recent recruits include L. F. Clarke, J. F. Lamport, F. Morin, D. C. W. Robb, F. D. Morris, D. W. Robinson, G. Butler, G. N. Cameron, F. H. J. Collins, J. H. Dodds, C. T. Hagins, A. G. Chigrea, G. R. Hosey, D. A. Elster, D. B. Stuart. Transfers to the unit are Bgt. A. D. McHaffie and D. Hepburn.

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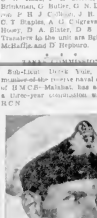
BAND COMMISSION

Rob-Lieut. Derek Yule, former Brentwood College reserve naval division of H.M.C.S. Malahat, has accepted a three-year commission with the RCN.



LIEUT. YULE

He will leave Victoria Monday for Halifax to join the frigate La Hulloise.

Lieut. Yule was educated in Victoria at St. Michael's College, Victoria College, and Oak Bay High School. He joined Malahat in 1948 and has been active in reserve force activities.

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COMPLETES COURSE

Gpr. Victoria soldier serving in Canada's Special Force at Fort Lewis has completed the first brigade NCO's course. He is Pte. W. E. Evans of the P.P.C.L.I. Regiment.

The following is a list of parades that will be held in the Greater Victoria area this week:

4th R.C. COAST REGIMENT

Tuesday—1945 hours: Battery parade at Bay Street Armoury. 2000 hours: Pay parade 2040 hours: First aid lecture by Major J. F. Tyson. 2120 hours: F.T. and sports parade. Introduction of N.C.O.'s course in Room 11.

AIR CADETS

Wednesday—1830 hours: Rifle, navigation and parachute lectures will be held at Macaulay Camp headquarters.

Friday—1830 hours: Navigation, meteorology and drill.

40th TECHNICAL SQUADRON

Tuesday—1945 hours: Parade at the Armoury, dress roll call order. 2000 hours: Pay parade.

Thursday—2000 hours: NCO's class, recreational shooting.

CANADIAN SCOTTISH

Monday 1940 hours: Unit will march out. Pay parade will follow.

Wednesday—Organization of day training platoon.

Thursday—Sports parade and NCO's school. Training as per syllabus.

NS. 8 AAOR.

Wednesday—2000 hours Officers' and NCO's course under R.M.S. A. Mitchell. Training as per syllabus.

Friday—2000 hours: Parade at the Armoury, AAOR, and detachment training.

18th FIELD AMBULANCE

Tuesday—2000 hours: RCAMC and RCASC training at the Armoury, dress, roll call order.

Friday—2000 hours: Recreational rifle shooting. This unit is urgently in need of drivers, mechanics, cooks, medical assistants, pharmacists and general duty men.

46th FIELD SAN. SECTION

Tuesday—2000 hours: Training parade at the Armoury, dress, roll call order.

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Victoria Scouts Given Awards At Ceremony

The Victoria Boy Scouts received badges last night at a public ceremony and banquet at the Metropolitan United Church.

The boys, from various city troops, were among 100 pairs of fathers who attended the presentation and dinner which was followed by an movie about the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Receiving Kelvin Trophies were Roger Clayton, Mercury Troop; Bruce Mackenzie, Parkside Troop; Bill Lanter, Michael Vye, Harold Hartford, Ronald Holder, George Kelvin, Dave Pelzer and Geoff Smith, all from the Senior Troop.

Bill Layton and Ron Holder also were presented with Baden-Powell Thongs and a Gold Cord went to Sidney Bell.

The films shown by Corporal Bob Godfrey of the RCMP, were "Scarlet and Gold" on RCMP training and "Northwest Passage" which traced the voyage of Sergeant Carl Andersen over the top of the world in 1942 in an RCMP schooner.

The affair was attended by senior executives of the Boy Scouts Association (Victoria District) including Executive Commissioner Freeman King.

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75th H.A.A. REGIMENT

Monday—2000 hours: M.T. class and driving practice at the Armoury.

Tuesday—2000 hours: Band practice.

Wednesday—2000 hours: 155 Battery will fall in and inspection will follow by the orderly officer. Pay parade and training as per syllabus.

Thursday—2000 hours: 156 Battery parade and pay parade, training as per syllabus.

Friday—2000 hours: RHQ pay parade at the Armoury, training as per syllabus.

75th H.A.A. CADETS

Wednesday—1915 hours: NCO's course at the Armoury. 1830 hours: Roll call and parade, training as per syllabus. Orderly NCO will be Bdr. J. Wade, next for duty, Bdr. C. H. Fotheringham.

By means of concerts and recitals, the Canadian College of Organists is raising funds to provide a new organ for Coventry Cathedral, England. $22,000 has already been sent.

Addresses Mothers

RAYMOND GOODACRE, M.A.

Who will be guest speaker at meeting of mothers of Cathedral girls' choir next Wednesday in Christ Church Memorial Hall at 8 p.m. Mr Goodacre, health educator for Provincial Department of Health, will speak on "The Social and Psychological Development of the Young Child." The local group will be hostess to Vancouver Island Co-operative Play Group Association.

Damage Said Medium In Collision of Cars

Damage described as medium was caused in a car driven by William Lee, 817 Cormorant street, and Maxwell Bruce Clift, 644 Cormorant Avenue, were in collision at Government and Yates Street at 3 p.m. Friday. No one was hurt.

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B.C. Government Ponders Provincial Rent Controls

BRITISH Columbia may join five other provinces in maintaining rental controls if the Federal Government carries through its announced plans to lift them.

A report from Legislative members here said the British Columbia Government is considering rent control legislation "if and when Ottawa steps out of the rent-control picture."

Ottawa has announced its intention to end controls April 30, but recent indications are the original plan may be shelved.

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Round Houses Cheaper, Says German Architect

FRANKFURT, Germany, Feb. 24. (Reuter)—Round houses would be at least a partial solution to Germany's acute housing shortage, says architect Martin Overmann.

He claims the round house is less costly than an ordinary rectangular house. It can be heated at a fraction of the regular cost and will save housewives hours of work.

It is also bomb-proof, Obermann says, except against a direct hit. He claims that the cylindrical airraid shelter he built when he was a prisoner in Mathausen concentration camp during the war saved his life and the lives of many fellow prisoners during Allied bombing raids.

INSPIRED BY KRAALS

Before the war, Obermann travelled widely in Africa where the kaffirs' round kraals inspired him with new ideas for European homes.

At first, conservative German housing authorities would not look at his unconventional plan, but recently he has been allowed to build his round house in several West German cities. It can be a bungalow or a two-story house.

The inside partitioning can be varied according to individual needs, but the basic pattern provides for three large rooms, a kitchen and bathroom, with a hall and central foyer.

Large windows in the curved walls provide plenty of light, and there is a skylight set in the centre of the roof and shaped like a flattish cone and in addition provides hot water for the kitchen and bathroom. Except the kitchen and bathroom, to which are entered from the hall, all the rooms have doors opening on the central anti-room.

The architect says this layout will save the housewife several miles of walking per day as she does her housework chores.

He claims the house needs less heating than a rectangular one because its curved surfaces make it weather-resistant.

Obermann bases his argument for the cheapness of the round house on the geometrical proposition that a circle encloses a greater area in proportion to its circumference than any other figure.

ONE STOVE

Policy Makers Meet to Chart Liberal Course

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP)—The Liberal Party's policy-makers will hold their annual get-together here beginning Monday.

For three days, the 256 members of the National Liberal Federation's advisory council will meet in the capital to hear reports, deal with internal party business and draft resolutions for presentation to the Government.

Young Liberals and members of the National Federation of Liberal Women of Canada will hold their annual sessions in conjunction with the main meeting.

A highlight will be an address Wednesday by Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent, who will speak as party leader rather than as prime minister.

Dr. J. A. Corry, professor of political science at Queen's University, will speak Tuesday on Canada's progress at mid-century.

Senator Gordon Fogo, federation president, will preside at the main council meetings, all of which will be held in camera.

The council, through the resolutions it approves, determines the policies the Liberal Party should follow.

Resolutions to come before the meeting probably will bear heavily on Canada's defence program and its effects on the country's economic life. The resolutions later will be presented to Mr. St. Laurent and his Cabinet by a federation delegation.

Sunrise and Sunset

FEBRUARY

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1951.

Date	Sun-rise AM	Sun-set PM	Date	Sun-rise AM	Sun-set PM
1	7.44	5.13	16	7.26	5.32
2	7.43	5.14	17	7.24	5.33
3	7.42	5.15	18	7.22	5.35
4	7.41	5.16	19	7.19	5.36
5	7.40	5.17	20	7.17	5.37
6	7.39	5.18	21	7.15	5.38
7	7.38	5.19	22	7.13	5.39
8	7.37	5.20	23	7.11	5.40
9	7.35	5.21	24	7.09	5.41
10	7.34	5.22	25	7.07	5.42
11	7.32	5.23	26	7.05	5.43
12	7.31	5.24	27	7.03	5.44
13	7.29	5.25	28	7.01	5.45
14	7.28	5.26	29	6.59	5.46
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In the Mede or on the Island?

Two Towns Dispute Claim to Magna Carta Signing

By NORMAN CRIBBENS

EGHAM, England, Feb. 24 (Reuters)—The gong has sounded and the boys are sparring in the centre of the ring in the first round of the Magna Carta championship bout—a fight to the finish between two historic towns.

The contest is to decide where King John put his seal to Magna Carta—the "great charter"—England's first enactment of civil liberties.

It is clear that the document was sealed on this south side of the Thames.

INTO RING

Into the ring in support of Wraysbury bounded Sir Patrick Hanna, former Conservative M.P. and owner of Magna Carta Island.

"The Magna Carta was sealed on the spot where the charter room of my house stands," he said.

For additional ammunition, Sir Patrick dived into the chronicles of Matthew Paris, 13th - century historian.

"Paris stated that the barons gathered at Runnymede, but King John went to the island to execute the document on neutral ground," said Sir Patrick.

The battle continues.

Canada's National Film Board has developed microphotography for making movies of insects and bacteria 1,000 times life size.

Was it on the meadows of Runnymede or on Magna Carta Island in the River Thames nearby that the wicked monarch was forced to sign more than seven centuries ago by his rebellious barons?

Heavyweight contender, south of the river, is this Surrey town of Egham, population 20,000. Egham prides on the last words of the great charter: "Given by our hand in the meadow which is called Runnymede between Windsor and Staines."

Lightweight opponent, north of the river, is the Buckinghamshire village of Wraysbury, population 3,250.

CLAIM RIGHT

Each claims the right to lell visitors to the festival of Britain, opening next May, that the Magna Carta was signed within its own boundaries.

Egham urban council is preparing a large sign to be put up on the village green declaring:

"Within this boundaries of this parish were laid the foundations of English liberty by the signing of the Magna Carta in the year 1215."

SIGHT BLOW

Egham's sign, which will be partly work for 20 men, delivers a body blow for the village. He said today:

"We rely on Ogilvie's History of Wraysbury, published in 1862, and other authorities for our belief that the Magna Carta was sealed on an island in the parish of Wraysbury."

Magna Carta Island is within the parish.

Watson added the village will present a pageant May 14, when a copy of the Magna Carta will be sealed "in this parish and no other parish."

Next into the fray came Harold Smith, clerk to Egham council, who declared:

"As the last words of the Magna Carta refer to Runnymede Meadows, it is clear that the document was sealed on this south side of the Thames."

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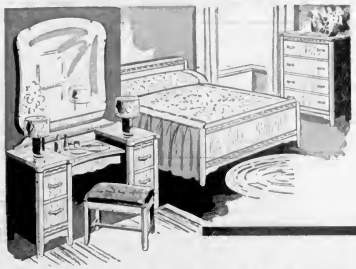

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Lost Girl Reunited With Mother

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Family reunion was celebrated yesterday when missing daughter of Mrs. Frank Neel, 944 Johnson Street, returned from England. Her journey from England was unfortunately interrupted when she suffered sudden loss of memory. The daughter, Enid Bird, 20, was object of nation-wide search when she failed to reach Victoria destination after leaving Montreal

Memory Lapse at End; Missing Girl Now Here

Happy ending was written yesterday to the story of Enid Bird, 20-year-old English girl whose journey to join her family in Victoria was marred by a memory lapse that sent her to a Vancouver hospital.

She was taken to hospital in the Montreal city after she was found in a dazed condition in a downtown hotel. She had been wandering without being aware of her identity for three days.

Yesterday she arrived in Victoria with her step-father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neel, 944 Johnson Street. They had gone to Vancouver to the girl's bedside in the hope their presence would aid her recovery.

The mother said her daughter recognized her when she came into the hospital room.

"The girl was still dazed and shaken when she came to this city yesterday and is still under doctor's care

Medical authorities told the parents an attack of fits which the girl suffered in England just before undertaking the long trip to Victoria might have contributed to her sudden loss of memory.

The relieved family said they credited a Daily Colonist story of the girl's disappearance on radio from Montreal to Victoria with enabling hospital authorities to identify her.

The fair, slim English girl, reunited with her mother and step-father after living on her own in England for five years said she remembered leaving the train at Vancouver

She said she walked into the C.N.R. station in Vancouver with the intention of going from there to arrange for the boat trip to Victoria

"The next thing I can recall now," she related. "A nurse was asking me my name and address. I don't know what day that was"

"I'm still trying to recall what happened"

Mr. and Mrs. Neel went to Vancouver Friday after R.C.M.P. informed them Miss Bird had been located in that city

It was then four days after the scheduled date for her arrival here.

Yesterday, the young English girl, climbing to her mother said she would remain quietly at home until doctors were satisfied she had fully recovered.

Later, she said, she would "like to learn to ride a horse."

Radiologists Vary Pace For Convention Windup

Change of pace from the serious techniques of radiology highlighted last night's dinner and dance meeting of the B.C. Division of the Canadian Society of Radiological Technicians in the Olde England Inn.

The social gathering was a feature of the radiologists' one-day convention in Victoria yesterday.

More than 100 of the province's X-ray technicians were in attendance

Light atmosphere of the convention's closing moments was emphasized in a speech by Dr. H. M. Edmison, radiologist at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

The gathering was momentarily dismayed when Dr Edmison embarked seriously on what gave promise of being a two-hour dissertation on the most technical aspects of the profession

The brick paid off in laughs when it was realized the "serious" speech was deliberately staged.

Fred C. Barker, B.T., president of the Island branch of the society, was chairman of the daytime meeting

Provincial executive and official delegates are R. Mel Smith, J. C. Saunders, R. I. Hood, Miss Shirley Cameron, Her Sister Mary Loretta, Miss M. MacMillan, W. Q. Stirling, P. Boulton, Miss O. A. Chard, Miss Barker

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Scotsmen Irate At Heavy Duty Paid On Gifts

Moss moot The Scots are up in arms.

They're having to pay a heavy duty on Cashmere woolens which were made in Scotland and sent back to relatives there as Christmas gifts.

The Badenoch Record reports that recipients of Christmas gift woolens have had to pay the 25% per cent customs duty on the goods which is a good idea, higher than the goods had been purchased at home.

A payment of 25 per cent customs duty, plus the purchase tax of 22½ per cent had to be paid on wool, while the gift of an American gold recipient an outlay of £11 — this watch valued at about £9 cost the figured out at a duty of £2 and purchase tax of £8.

BLOW OF DEVALUATION

Parcels from Canada were as numerous as ever last Christmas; Australian gifts showed a slight drop in numbers, while American gifts were down by many thousands.

Devaluation of the pound was lashed as one of the reasons for the high duty costs—inflated prices caused a boomerang to gift receivers who had to pay in customs duty and purchase tax the new dollar value which, in some cases, almost doubled the cost of the gift.

No legal provision was made for the exemption of Christmas gifts but, in general, they were passed through at the most favorable terms under the law.

Kiddies Enjoy Milkman's Program With Its Wondrous Characters

—THIS WEEK'S RADIO—

By RAY BAINES

Dial-browsing the other evening, I happened to come across a very entertainer voice from CJVI telling a story.

Kid-stuff," we said —

Ten minutes later, still listening, we passed on to something a little more dignified but not before lookdurful sentimental story-telling.

You see, we're smarter than the other kids. We recognized the voice of the "Milkman" who told all about Bruce Bulldozer with cute-cute sound effects and Larry the Lagoon star and Clarence the Concrete Mixer and Percy the Pickup Truck

Yes, believe it or not it was hardworking program director and production manager of CJVI, Dick Bailey, whose 10-minute "radio-spot" show has become a junior sensation around town.

GREAT INVENTION

Dick started all this as a sort of "fill-in" spot back in November of 1950. But what an inspiration! Local moppets insisted on being allowed to hear listen to the "Milkman" (his radio moniker) before going to bed.

Parents loved it because the little rascals really did go to bed when Dick told them to.

The little show comes over CJVI every night at 7.20 p.m. How the guy thinks up all these wonderful characters and gets them in and out of situations with comparative ease is more than we can figure out.

Aside from a somewhat unattractive voice and a radio was with kids, Dick has a happy knack of achieving a personal understanding of the little folks' needs.

ENJOYS HIMSELF

A lot of three "Uncle" gigs you hear telling stories or reading out weekday greetings, reacaqd for the old master, CJCH's Rose Mortimore seemed to be just a little bored with the whole deal.

Dick seems to enjoy the stuff himself. His own two children seem to have provided the necessary elementary training in fashioning fantasy out of, and over, the air.

If all you kids want to hear story-telling at its original best, catch this little show at 7.20 p.m. each night. You'll love it . . . and so will your five-year-old sons and daughters.

DICK BAILEY

STEWART IS FINE JOB

Looking back, we might mention a rather hang-up job done by screen-actor James Stewart in a recent Screen Directors' Playhouse adaptation of "The Next Time We Love"

Advance publicity from N.B.C. heralded that "he introduced to Hollywood (in the original 1936 movie version) a portrait of a newspaperman who is neither drunkard nor buffoon."

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APPEAL GETS RESULTS

The power of the radio-medium for a highly worth-while cause was illustrated recently by one of the C.B.S. "Hear It Now" series whose appeal for blood donations was narrated by Edward R. Murrow

It is estimated that the broadcast secured 50,000 blood donations for the American Red Cross!

Immediately after the program, 18,505 persons telephoned from 143 cities to their Red Cross chapters offering blood. Most of the 8,731 chapters were still to be heard from at that time.

The superbly-handled show traced a pint of blood from its original source to a first-aid station in Korea where it saved a soldier's life

Quite apart from his efforts on this program, Edward Murrow received another honor last week when a Doctor of Journalism degree was bestowed on him by Robert L. Johnson president of Philadelphia's Temple University.

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FINE MUSIC ON

This may be a little selfish, but it's really sort of a menu not so much some of our favorite music

Today's broadcast of the New York Philharmonic Symphony at 13 noon over the C.B.C. network will feature Igor Stravinsky's "rituallistic ballet" Le Sacre du Printemps. It's very wonderful music

Featured also will be Tschaikovsky's Romeo and Juliet Overture and a performance of the Rachmaninoff Second Piano Concerto in C Minor with William Kapell as soloist.

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POPULAR SERVICE

The C.B.C. International Service, which beams programs in diverse tongues to all parts of the world, celebrates its ninth birthday anniversary today.

Since its inauguration, the program service has received more than 150,000 letters from Danish, Swedish, Dutch, Norwegian, German, Czech, English, French and Italian Listeners.

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MONDAY—Gyro Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12.15 p.m.

TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12.15 p.m.; North Kiwanis Club dinner, The Mediterranean, 6.15 p.m.; Electric Club luncheon, The Mayfair, 12.05 p.m.

THURSDAY—Rotary Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12.15 p.m.; Optimist Club luncheon, Pacific Club, 12.15 p.m. Oak Bay Kiwanis Club dinner, Oak Bay Beach Hotel, 6.15 p.m.; Ts Mona Club dinner, YMCA, 6.45 p.m.; Cosmopolitan Club dinner, Club Brentwood, 6.30 p.m.

FRIDAY—Lions Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12.15 p.m.

The Gyro Club this week will hear Dr. Clifford Carl, director of the Provincial Museum, who will speak on "Nature's Rare Creatures".

Artists of the Cowichan Bay Indian play "Tzinquaw" will appear in a musical dramatization of the famous Indian legend to be presented at the Kiwanis Club this week

The film entitled "To Every Creature," a production of the Moody Bible Institute, will be shown at the Electric Club. The picture deals with Mexico and South America.

C Charlie, Toronto, will present a 46-minute address entitled "This Is Our Problem"—dealing with the threat of Communism—to the Rotary Club.

The Oak Bay Kiwanis Club will see a color film entitled "Pin Kitch," dealing with the 1950 golf championship contest. It will be shown by Malcolm Gillespie

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CUBAN SALAD
Dissolve 1 package Lime Jell-O in 2 cups hot water; add 1-inch cinnamon stick, 1 tablespoon vinegar. Cool. Remove cinnamon stick, chill until slightly thick. Add half-inch pineapple cubes with Jell-O; arrange 3 bananas, cut in small stick-like pieces, around edge of mould; chill with Jell-O. Blend with mayonnaise. A real taste thrill — because the flavor of Lime Jell-O is pure fruit from real limes. 4 to 5 servings.
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Chill Lime Jell-O until slightly thickened (the delicious flavor is pure fruit from real limes.) Fold in ½ cup (each) shredded cabbage and diced apple. Chill in individual moulds. Garnish with mayonnaise and diced apple mellow slices. 4 or 5 servings. So quick to prepare — serve Jell-O salads for glamour with everybody!
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Gilbert and Sullivan Operetta Set for Next Week

Headman Tony Barnett looks thoughtful as Colonel Fairfax (Alan White) supports a fainting Elsie Maynard (Mrs. Pauline Barnett) during rehearsals for "Yeomen of the Guard," operetta to be presented by the Gilbert and Sullivan Society next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at the Royal Theatre. Four thousand dollar production is being sponsored by the Gyro Club and is under direction of Col. Victor W. Mills. This is sixth annual staging of Gilbert and Sullivan operettas by city group.

Summer Stock Could Be Success In Victoria, Says Young Director

THE ENTERTAINMENT WORLD

By RON BAIRD

Summer stock theatre could be a definite success in Victoria.

That's the opinion of a serious, intense young Victoria man who has more than a fleeting knowledge of the theatre.

"Summer stock would more than return the investment of time, talent and financial outlay from the tourist point of view alone," says Frank Lindsay, 25-year-old theatrical student whose recent success as director of the Victoria Theatre Guild's "Hay Fever" marks high for definite future theatrical relevance.

"I'm convinced that Summer stock would draw actors and actresses from across Canada and some points in the United States—all any actor asks is the opportunity of working at his craft," says Lindsay.

A Canadian Navy veteran, Frank Lindsay took his D.V.A. credits and went to study at the Carnegie Institute of Technology in Pittsburgh for three years after the war.

There he studied all aspects of theatre and appeared in several plays and musicals. Frank would like to return to the States sometime in the future or, perhaps, take a shot at England.

This versatile actor-director-dancer has some very kind things to say about Victoria's place in the theatrical world.

"Victoria, as the only cosmopolitan city west of Montreal, is an ideal theatre town but, unfortunately, this city hasn't the proper facilities at the moment for a theatre on a scale the size that is needed.

"We could use a 500-seat theatre here and I am sure that it would be filled—help in the form of a Government subsidy or some aid from a philanthropic organisation might do the trick," he says.

He thinks that the local productions are as good as those presented in any city of comparable size. "Theatre here is good, you can't pass off 30 cents' worth of entertainment for a dollar."

Frank tried out for New York's successful musical "Guys and Dolls" while he was in the United States.

They were looking for dancers. Of the 300 who turned out, "about 30 were actually good."

"The manager they actually needed was six," says Frank, but he maintains that although New York is a tough town to crack, "If you're versatile enough, there are opportunities in TV, radio, off-Broadway shows and Summer stock."

"Anything you do in theatre is good experience—even if the only part you get is a palm-frond carrier in the Passion Play.

"You meet people with ideas. You may have no money but that shortcoming of ideas is most beneficial."

His three years of theatrical study have fitted him well for his chosen craft, and his ability in the theatre as an actor and director has been proven by test.

Like other craftsmen, he would like to carry out his work on a full-time basis.

But hard work in a tough, competitive field like the theatre pays off. Frank figures that experience with the little theatre here is invaluable and will lead to bigger things.

In the meantime, it's plain hard work and waiting—the glory comes later.

FRANK LINDSAY

JAN PEERCE

MEMBERSHIPS OPEN

There are only 63 memberships still available in the Victoria Theatre Guild.

Those applying for membership now will be able to purchase their tickets at a reduced half-season rate. When the total membership of 500 is reached, the books will be closed and those wishing to join will have to wait for vacancies.

Tickets may be purchased from guild secretary Mrs. H. E. Stubbings, 1560 Rockland Avenue.

THREE PLAYS

Three Theatre Guild workshop plays will be presented Wednesday night for members at the Langham Court Theatre.

The plays will be directed by Kathleen Yendell, May Mulholland and John Kane.

SYMPHONY MONDAY

Don't forget the symphony, Monday night.

A splendid program has been arranged.

Conductor Hans Gruber has set himself a full week-end before the concert. He conducts a concert at 2.15 p.m. Sunday for high school students after a 6.30 p.m. rehearsal, then will fly to Seattle to hear the touring Israeli Symphony Orchestra.

SINGERS COMING

Fletcher's box office is open for tickets to the Famous Artists Limited presentations of tenor Jan Peerce (March 6) and baritone Robert Merrill (March 10).

Jan Peerce has appeared in more than 250 Metropolitan Opera performances. Has played 400 concerts and made 250 nation-wide radio broadcasts, plus 12 as Toscanini's soloist.

His RCA recordings number in the millions, one alone having sold more than 500,000 copies.

Robert Merrill, opera, TV, radio and recording star, has recently signed a long-term contract with Paramount Pictures.

The young baritone has exactly added the term-ers set to his legion of fans.

ROBERT MERRILL

TRIO OPENS SERIES

The George Pearson Trio started the first of a weekly series of Saturday night dances at the Pacific Club last night.

The polished musical offerings of pianist Pearson, bassist Ron Welch and guitarist Ray Marquette will be augmented by the addition of accordion-player Al Jelasch.

ITEMS

Olga Francis, 20-year-old British ballet dancer, is coming to Canada to try to organize a national ballet. I can find no good dancers Canada will have her own company."

Jan Rubes, a star of the Opera Festival in Toronto, literally sang his way to freedom from behind the Iron Curtain. When the Communists took over in Czecho-Slovakia he was sent as a state representative to an international music festival in Switzerland. He won the prize and his freedom at the same time. He arrived in Canada on New Year's Eve, 1948.

Movie Memorandum: Roy Rogers has completed his role in "In Old Amarillo," and goes to Sun Valley with his wife and arrow at California Island. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower is head in Warner's Technicolor short "My Country 'Tis of Thee" when he speaks his last-minute instructions to the U.S. troops before the landing in Omaha Beach.

The American premiere of "The Blue Lamp", the film about British bobbies, was screened in New York City by the police force in aid of their Athletic League.

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JAMES E. DEFOE

Dalai Lama, Brother To Discuss Peace

BALTIMORE (AP) India Feb. 24 (AP)—Reports from Tibet's provisional capital at Yatung said today Tibetan Rimpoche, eldest brother of the Dalai Lama, had reached Yatung from Communist China for an emergency conference on the future of Tibet. The conference will discuss a possible negotiated settlement with the Chinese, the report said.

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Girl Guides and Boy Scouts have offered their services to distribute campaign posters and other materials throughout Victoria and District. The group pictured ready to start on the campaign are, from left to right, Miss Wendy Sanderson, Miss Gill Scott - Moncrieff, Master Even Fagan and Master Roger Cannon.

Top, right: Miss Agnes Hood, left, who will canvass a cross section of James Bay, and Mrs. T. H. Burns, a canvasser for Ten Mile Point, pick out their districts on the map of the city.

Centre, right: Mrs. H. B. Binny, another canvasser, puts a Red Cross sticker on a car to show the owner has contributed.

Annual Red Cross Campaign

By Dorothy Wrotnowski, Social Editor *Colonist photos by Bud Kinsman.*

The annual appeal for funds by the Red Cross will open on March 1. This year the objective has been set at $67,000, $2,000 more than last year.

A whirlwind campaign has been planned with the hope of "going over the top" first in Canada.

Mrs. D. Meharey, chairman of the Oak Bay unit, looks over material needed for the campaign.

Staff members at Red Cross House on Fort Street are busy preparing for the campaign. Pictured above, from left to right: Mrs. D. McRae, Mrs. M. McNair, standing, secretary; Mrs. N. Barton and Miss J. Baldwin.

Extend Patronage To Indian Opera

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Clarence Wallace will be patrons at the opening night of the opera of Tulnguay, an original opera presented by the Canadian Indians of Duncan. His Honor and Mrs Wallace will attend the first night performance on March 14 in the Royal Theatre. The opera will run four nights.

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Wedding in Texas

Of interest in Victoria and in the United States is the announcement made by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sager, 2806 Bowker Avenue, of the engagement of their daughter, Mary Vashti, to Mr. Stanley Edgar Scaton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Hunley Edgar Scaton, North Hollywood, Cal. The wedding will take place in Dallas, Texas, on March 10. Miss Marge Sager, of Victoria, will be her sister's maid of honor.

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From Fort William

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thomes of Fort William will arrive in Victoria this week-end to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Lieut. George Wilber, R.C.N., and Mrs. Wilber, 2878 Glenwood Avenue.

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Old-Time Dancing

Mr. and Mrs. W. Gilmour, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. J. Angus, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pidgeon, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Sills, Mr. C. P. Rutherford, Dr. and Mrs. Stark, Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. R. Hadley, Mr. J. C. T. Edwards, Mr. J. D. D. Campbell and Miss M. Campbell were among those who attended the Old-Time Dancing Party at the Victoria Golf Club last evening.

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Here for the wedding of Miss Sigrid Johnson to Mr. George James Timms, which took place recently at St. Matthias' Church, were: Mrs. Margaret Johnson, Mitchell River; Mr. Anton Johnson, New Westminster; Mr. D. S. Clark, Parksville, Miss Joan Lambert, Mr. H. Bullen, both of Vancouver; Mr. Frank Scott, Powell River.

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A miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Beth Walker, who is being married early next month, was given by Mrs. Albert E. Cules and her daughter, Mrs. B. Hodsoll at the former's home, 1751 Emerson Street, recently. A corsage of red roses and white freesias for the bride-elect and of pink carnations for her mother were presented on arrival. The pretty gifts were contained in a pink and white box trimmed with pink roses. The guests were: Mrs. P. E. Walker, Mrs M. White, Mrs. M. Bell, Mrs. D. De Rome, Mrs. I. O. Keddie, Mrs. E. McMillan and Miss June Walker.

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Miss Olive Lavender, who is being married March 3, was guest of honor at miscellaneous shower Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Doull, 35 Lewis Street. Co-hostess was Miss Corinne Gale. Red roses en corsage were presented to the guest of honor and her mother, Mrs. G. Lavender, received pink roses. Guests were: Mrs. T. Emberton, Mrs. N. Sutherland, Mrs. D. Ross and Mrs. J. Gale and Misses Alice George, Zona Gale, June Collishon, Pam Tanner and Geraldine Mills.

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Kiwanis wives held the third of a monthly series of "get-acquainted" teas at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel recently. Guests included Oak Bay Kiwanis ladies. Tea convener Mrs. R. M. Lochhead, assisted by Mrs. R. N. Hibberson and Mrs. A. Stewart, received the guests. Mrs. E. Malek and Mrs. Austin Curtis poured, while serving were: Mrs. J. Hardie, Mrs. Dudley Wickett, Mrs. E. Day, Mrs. R. Rose and Mrs. A. McDermid.

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Miss Dorothy Lassen of Seattle was honored on the occasion of her birthday at a tea given by Mrs. M. Gelling, Mrs. B. Wall and Mrs. E. Aubel at the home of the latter on Bowker Avenue. Mrs. M. Hughes and Mrs. E. Asbion presided at the tea table which was decorated with white carnations. A gift of a table lamp and a bouquet of spring flowers was presented to Miss Lassen. Guests were: Mrs. N. Thomson, Mrs. M. Annett, Mrs. V. Christensen, Mrs. M. Shelton, Mrs. K. Coulter, Mrs. M. Dyer, Mrs. H. Black, Mrs. G. Excell, Miss J. Tarrien, Mrs. N. A. Hussey, Mrs. M. Fuller, Mrs. M. G. Bullock, Mrs. C. A. Curry, Mrs. S. A. Woods, Mrs. A. Siesta, Mrs. J. Chaston, Miss M. Bailey, Mrs. E. Fox, Mrs. O. Muteh, Mrs. P. Troiter, Mrs. M. Garrin, Mrs. B. Huffman, Mrs. P. Lindsay, Mrs. E. Vickers, Miss Andre Lindsay.

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Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ford came from Duncan to attend the marriage of their youngest son, Mr. Raymond A. Ford, to Miss Jean B. Brophy, which took place Saturday evening. Also here for the ceremony and reception were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haslam, Mr. Ronald Ford, all of Duncan, Mrs. L. Copp and Miss Helen Copp, Courtenay; Mr. and Mrs. E. Banner, Mr. and Mrs. J. Chapman, all of Jordan River.

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Pythian Sisters, Temple No. 36, held a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. E. Cruickshank, Prior Street, recently for Mrs. A. DeCorte, nee Faith Atkinson. Co-hostesses were Mrs. E. Glover and Mrs. P. Colbert. Mrs. Lucy Keiser, most excellent chief of the temple, presented Mrs. DeCorte with a corsage of white heather and hyacinths and her mother, Mrs. H. Atkinson, with a corsage of pink carnations. Guests were: Mrs. M. Nicolson, Mrs. M. Edwards, Mrs. O. Hess, Mrs. K. Alexander, Mrs N. Warren, Mrs. E. Whitmore, Mrs P. Robinson, Mrs. P. Dufour, Mrs. M. Bell, Mrs. R. Sommerville, Mrs. E. Atkinson, Mrs. B. Palmer, Mrs. F. Bacon, Mrs. E. Simpson, Mrs. M. Gordon, Mrs. D. Orr, Mrs. C. Budger, Mrs. M. Stevenson, Mrs. E. Kullman, Mrs. A. Chalstt, Mrs. V. Bayly and Misses Alice Betts and Viola Sands.

Holidaying in Honolulu

Strolling in the gardens of the Royal Hawaiian in Honolulu where some of the trees were planted by royalty years ago and where 5,000 various flowers and shrubs bloom the year around are Mrs William Bennett and her daughter, Mrs. Colin P. Rutherford, who are wearing the floral leis presented to them upon their arrival in the tropical city on the Lurline. The Victoria women are wearing Polynesian-printed frocks, so cool and comfortable for the tropical weather. Not missing anything the Islands have to offer in the way of entertainments, Mrs. Squire and Mrs. Rutherford have participated in the native feasts, the luau where pig is still eaten with the fingers and the pig is still baked in the imu or underground oven, the hukilau which is a combination luau and fishing festival, and the hoolaula which is a Hawaiian "gathering for fun" where the guests furnish part of the entertainment. They'll sail to the mainland on the Lurline the end of February and be home about March 15.

Buyers From 68 Countries Invited To Britain's "Fashion Fortnight"

LONDON, Feb. 24 (CP). — Big plans have been made for the London "fashion fortnight" from May 30 to June 13, when buyers from all over the world will be given a comprehensive view of the latest developments in the British fashion industry.

Thousands of invitation cards have been sent to overseas buyers in 68 countries. These have been followed by personal letters in various languages drawing attention to the success of last year's events and to plans to make this year's show worthy of the British festival year of 1951.

WELCOME VISITORS

Different sections are assigned to tailored coats and suits, rayon fashion fabrics, fashionable rainwear, jersey fashion parades, furs, dresses and millinery.

There will also be an exhibition of contemporary British costume jewelry at the design and research centre of the gold, silver and jewelry industries.

Exhibitions of silk fashion fabrics and children's wear are also planned.

Among the attractions London offers to the buyer from overseas are the displays of the large stores and small specialty shops. A buyer likes to look around the shops whether on business or personal trips. To know what a buyer chooses for his or her own personal use is a valuable guide to the tastes of the overseas customers.

Consequently a careful record is to be attempted of personal purchases by the visitors. This record will be kept at most of the combined events and at the close of the fortnight it is hoped that a summary of its contents will prove of great benefit to the British exporters, not only in fashion but many other fields.

The dates have been chosen to coincide with the height of the London social season. Besides the main Festival of Britain, the Derby and Royal Ascot turf meetings come at that time and the first test cricket match against South Africa will start at Nottingham June 9. The international lawn tennis championships at Wimbledon come later.

The Past Mistresses Club of the L.O.B.A. will meet at the home of Mrs. E. Hume, 1256 Cambrose Crescent on Tuesday evening.

Jean Brophy, Raymond Ford Married at Fairfield United

"Daffodils and ferns decorated Fairfield United church Saturday evening when Mrs William Adam solemnized the marriage of Jean Bennett, daughter of Mr and Mrs Bernard Brophy, 858 Cecil Hill Terrace, to Raymond Alec Ford, youngest son of Mr and Mrs. Douglas Ford of Duncan, V.I.

Mr. Glen Gilchrist was at the organ and Mrs. Frank Langford, soloist, sang the evening selections as the guests were being seated.

The pretty bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in white satin fashioned on princess lines with sweetheart neck, illusion sleeves and flared skirt sweeping into a graceful train. A low crowned headpiece of white and silver beads held her veil of fine illusion net which billowed to the floor. For "something borrowed" she wore a rhinestone necklace as her only jewelry. A cascade bouquet of red roses and white lilies completed her costume.

FOUR ATTENDANTS

Maid of honor was Miss Helen Copp of Courtenay, in pink moire taffeta. Miss Doris Prudent and Miss Stella Ford, sister of the groom, bridesmaids, wearing pale yellow taffeta. Dubbed chiffon accentuated the regular waistline, the three gowns being similarly styled with ruffle at the neckline and short puff sleeves and full three-tiered skirts. Their headdresses of matching taffeta were in poke-bonnet style and their net veils were on hats. All carried Colonial bouquets of violets with feathered carnations. Miss Frances Lamont, flower girl, was dressed in apple green taffeta, with a similar headpiece and veil, and carried a miniature Colonial bouquet of violets and white carnations. Mr Gordon Wright attended the bridegroom, and ushers were Mr. William "Bud" McMurdie and Mr Verdine Johnston.

The reception, was held at Boy Scout headquarters where Mr. Freeman King, field commissioner for Victoria, proposed the health of the bride who is Akela for Third Victoria Cub Pack. The newlywedds, assisted by Mrs Brophy, groomed in grey crepe with navy accessories and corsage of pink roses, and Mrs. Ford, wearing a floral silk gown with corsage of cream roses, stood before a decorated trellis.

The couple will drive Up-Island for their honeymoon returning to Victoria to make their home. Going away the bride wore a three-piece suit of skipper blue wool with coordinate hat and accessories and a gardenia corsage.

Presbyterian W.M.S. Annual Meeting, Wednesday, Thursday

The 57th annual meeting of the Victoria Presbyterial of the Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society will be held on February 28 and March 1 in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

On Wednesday, commencing at 3 p.m., registration and greeting delegates from Up Island will take place, followed by afternoon tea.

In the evening an open meeting will be held with Miss Grace MacKay, regional secretary, being the guest speaker. Devotions will be taken by the C.O.T.T. and Miss Pat Robinson will be the soloist.

Sessions commence on Thursday at 10 a.m. and continue throughout the day. A luncheon will be held at 12 p.m., the afternoon session starts at 2 p.m. Mrs R. Pollock, B.C. Synodical president will give the address in the afternoon.

Brownies Hold Thinking Rally

More than 120 Brownies representing seven packs of Victoria Central Division, met recently at the Scout Hall, Shelbourne Street, for a "Thinking Day Rally."

The packs represented different countries. Mrs. E. W. Abraham, Divisional Brownie Advisor gave a talk. Mrs. A. Westinghouse, District Commissioner was in charge.

Spring Fete At Academy On April 3

At the February meeting of the Auxiliary for St. Ann's Academy, held in the Senior reception room, it was decided to hold the Spring Fete at the academy on April 3. The general convener will be Mrs. Arthur Smith. Tea room arrangements will be in charge of Mrs. L. Brown. Home cooking will be conveyed by Mrs. A. Ferron, assisted by Mrs. S. Gillon.

The needlework and fancywork done by the sisters of St. Ann will be a special feature. A candy booth will be conveyed by Mrs. Dunne and Mrs Parrot. "Lucky Seven" in charge of Mrs. McIlvenny. "Wild Elephant" sale is to be conducted by Mrs. S. Fed. As in previous years the pupils will hold a penny carnival, with games and contests.

BEARS GROUP LEADER

Mrs. B. Caley, discussion group leader of the P.-T.A. Council, was guest speaker at the regular meeting of North Ward P.-T.A. Mrs. L. Kermode presided at the meeting. Mrs. G. Harris, Mrs. L. Howarth, Mrs. B. Fuller, Mrs. Kermode and Mrs. N. Doak were appointed delegates to the P.-T.A. convention.

Past presidents' pins were presented to Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. Howarth, while Mrs. Kermode received her president's pin. Refreshments were served under the convenership of Mrs. J. McLeod.

Auxiliary to Entertain Patients

Plans for entertaining the patients on St. Patrick's Day and Easter were made at the regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to St. Joseph's Villa. Mrs. J. B. Lynch presided.

In charge are Mrs. J. Chalderton, Mrs. C. Hawkings, Mrs. W. Stokes, Smith, Mrs. W. McAllister and Mrs. T. Hartnell.

Arrangements are being made for the annual Spring tea by the committee composed of Mrs. M. Russell, Mrs. Hawkings, Mrs J. Pettenbridge, Mrs. W. MacAllister and Mrs. Lynch.

Mrs. Lynch reported on the memorial window donating to the chapel in honor of Messrs M Ribelreda and M. Priscilla.

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Toronto Girl Wed Here

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Earl Braithwaite, the former Doris Beryl May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rockcliffe, Toronto, pictured following their marriage which took place in St. Matthew's Church, Langford.

Married at Langford

Calla lilies on the altar formed the setting in St. Matthew's Church, Langford, for the wedding last Friday of Doris Beryl May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rockcliffe, Toronto, Ont., and Donald Earl Braithwaite, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Braithwaite, 55 Millstream Road, Langford. The Rev. Mr. H. J. Jones officiated at the early evening ceremony. The Lohengrin Wedding March was played by Mrs. M. Fraser at the organ.

Given in marriage by her grandfather, Mr. J. Rockcliffe, the bride was lovely in a gown of white slipper satin with bands of Chantilly lace on the full skirt. A headdress of seed pearls and orange blossoms held her full-length veil of illusion, and she carried a shower bouquet of red roses and white hyacinths.

Miss Eileen Hay, maid of honor, wore pale mauve nylon over taffeta with bolero jacket and large sash tied in bustle bow. Miss Margaret Morrow, bridesmaid, wore a pale green taffeta gown fashioned with bustle and full skirt. Both attendants wore headdresses of daffodils and tulips and carried bouquets of Spring flowers.

The little flower girl, Valerie Braithwaite, the groom's cousin wore a delicate green full-skirted gown with small bouquet and headdress of the same Spring flowers.

Mr. Glendon Hay was best man and Mr. Ray Crocker and Mr. Donald Braithwaite acted as ushers.

A reception was held at Goldstream Dairette where the bride's table was decorated with a three-tiered cake, pink and white streamers, and tall candles. Mr. J. Rockliffe proposed the toast.

Leaving for a honeymoon Up-Island the bride wore a navy blue linen afternoon dress with bolero jacket lined with pink and white dotted satin, navy accessories, pink hat, fur coat and gardenia corsage.

Grand Chief To Visit March 6

The Pythian Sisters, Temple No. 18, met in the K. of P. Hall recently with Most Excellent Chief Lucy Keiner presiding.

Plans were made for the Grand Chief Mary Cobb's visit on March 6, and for a Spring tea on March 15, at 2:30 in the lower K. of P. Hall. Convenors are Sister P. Colbert and E. Glover.

Committees chosen for the coming year are: entertainment, Sisters V. Bayly, E. Summerville and G. Tuson; finance, Sisters E. Whitmore and L. Moulton; visiting, Sisters E. Cruickshank and N. Nicholson; senior citizens' campaign, L. Moulton and contact committee, E. Atkinson, E. Glover and N. Warren.

For the Grand Temple convention to be held on May 17 and 18, the committee chosen were Sisters M. Erb, O. Curtis and H. Atkinson.

Arion Choir In Concert

The Arion Male Voice Choir presented another of their traditional concerts in the Britannia Branch auditorium on Thursday evening, under the sponsorship of the Overseas Nursing Sisters' Branch, No. 187, Canadian Legion.

Mrs. Wilfred Davenport, president of the branch, introduced the choir and explained that the proceeds were to be used for the Welfare for Nursing Sisters.

After the concert which was informally interspersed with community singing, refreshments were served under the convenership of Mrs. C. H. Brenda.

Mr. K. C. Symons expressed appreciation of the choir and Miss K. Ethel Gray, past president of the branch, replied.

Mrs. Doris McVie was accompanist and Mr. Graham Steel was conductor.

Groceries for War Victims

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP)—Mothers who buy groceries for growing children may be interested in this $1,000 food order:

One thousand pounds of cocoa, 4,000 pounds powdered milk, 1,500 pounds lard, 1,000 pounds bacon, 8,000 tins sardines, 1,800 pounds jam, 8,000 pounds macaroni, 1,250 pounds navy beans, 4,000 pounds sugar, 1,800 pounds cheese.

This is the order Dr. Lotta Hitschmanova of Ottawa has just put in for child war-victims in Europe, youngsters who are sponsored by Canadians under the foster-parent program of the Unitarian Service Committee of Canada.

Dr. Hitschmanova, executive director of the committee, has contracted the food to foster-homes in Austria, Italy, Greece and France.

This is the first large food order the committee has put in this year. All purchases are made from voluntary donations.

District Branches Form Evening Council to W.A.

At a largely attended meeting of the evening branches of W.A. from Victoria, Sidney and outlying districts, held at St. Mary's Church Hall, it was decided to form an Evening Council to work in conjunction with the Diocesan Board of W.A.

With Mrs. R. G. Taylor, president of the Diocesan Board in the chair, the following officers were elected: Hon. president, Mrs. A. Gillespie; hon. vice-president, Mrs. R. G. Taylor; president, Mrs. F. Burroughs, St. Mary's; vice chairman, Miss M. Randall, St. Johns; recording secretary, Mrs. H. Pelly, St. Mark's; corresponding secretary, Mrs. M. Grant, St. Luke's; treasurer, Mrs. N. Adamson, St. Martins; living message, Mrs. Lowery, St. Saviour; educational, Miss M. Hoskin, Cathedral; Dorcas, Mrs. C. Andrew, St. Paul's; thankoffering, Mrs. M. J. Barnett, St. Luke's; extra cents, Mrs. F. Leautlin, Cathedral; social service, Mrs. A. Baines, St. Paul's.

Before closing the meeting, informal talks on Dorcas work were given by Mrs. C. Wilson, Dorcas secretary and on finances by Mrs. B. C. Wilson, Dorcas treasurer.

Cobble Hill Social News

COBBLE HILL, Feb 24.—The regular meeting of the Cobble Hill Women's Institute took place in Cobble Hill hall, Mrs. S. C. Broadson presiding.

It was decided to offer prizes at the Fall Fair for miniature gardens and for a class in sewing. The Institute will also arrange a display of handicrafts.

MOTHERS' UNION

The regular meeting of the Shawnigan Lake-Cobble Hill branch, Mothers' Union was held at the home of Mrs. F. Bamber. Rev. E. M. Willis conducted the devotional session.

Mrs. W. J. Freeman, work convener, turned in a number of knitted and sewn articles, ready for shipment to the Liverpool Hospital.

Mrs. S. Wallace and Mrs. L. Horsfield acted as hostesses after the meeting.

ST. JOHN'S W.A.

The regular meeting of the W.A. of St. John's Cobble Hill, was held at the home of Mrs. F. Bamber.

Details were completed for rummage sale, on March 1, in Whittome Hall. Duncan Proceeds will go to the vicarage building fund.

Mrs. O. White and Mrs. E. Bamber were appointed delegates to the annual Diocesan Conference President, Mrs. J. L. Caesar and Mrs. H. Lowe will also attend.

The next meeting, March 26, will be held at the home of Mrs. J. W. Avesham.

Tea was served by Mrs. R. Lowe and Mrs. B. A. McKelvie.

Culbertson on Bridge

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The declarer in today's deal had too difficult an assignment for anyone short of expert status.

West, dealer
Neither side vulnerable

NORTH
♠ A K J
♥ A J 6 4
♦ A 7 5
♣ K 9 2

WEST
♠ 5
♥ 7 5
♦ K Q J 10 8 4 3 2
♣ 8 3

EAST
♠ Q 10 9 8 6 2
♥ Q 10 9 8 2
♦ 9
♣ 5

SOUTH
♠ 7 4 3
♥ K 3
♦ 6
♣ A Q J 10 7 6 4

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
4 ♦	Double	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	7 ♣	Pass	Pass
Pass			

West thought for a long time, obviously tempted to sacrifice at seven diamonds, but he decided to gamble it out. In view of East's failure to double seven clubs there was little reason for West to hope that the grand slam could be defeated, but as it happened he was right this time. Then, too, of course, was the fact that seven diamonds would have gone down 1,300 points!

Having no reason to hope for a defensive diamond trick, West (not too wisely) opened his singleton spade. South, as he explained later, had a pretty good idea that it was a singleton, but he didn't know what to do about it. He ran off six of his seven trumps, discarding two diamonds and a heart from dummy, but then he could see no hope other than the heart finesse. East joyfully smothered the heart jack with the queen, and that was that.

To repeat, South did not have an easy row to hoe, but in the knowledge that West had a raft of diamonds, along with the two clubs he had shown, South should have figured that the major suits were divided just about as they were. That being so, success could be gained as follows: South draws trumps, cashes the diamond ace, and then runs the rest of his trumps, keeping the blank spade king and the A-J-6 of hearts in dummy. What can East hold? If he blanks his spade queen, South leads to the king, returns to the heart king and cashes the spade ace.

AGED INCREASE

The number of persons over 70 years old in Canada has nearly doubled from 944,000 in 1931 to an estimated 675,000 in 1951.

Engagements

The engagement is announced of Elsie Kilvington, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Kilvington, 153 Florida Street, to Mr. George MacDonald Robertson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Robertson, 1278 Kings Road. The wedding will take place at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church at 8 p.m., April 7, 1951.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Sager, 2606 Bowker Avenue, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Vashti, to Mr. Hunley Edgar Beaton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Hunley Edgar Beaton, North Hollywood, California, on March 10, 1951.

Mrs. J. A. Mills, 2486 Epworth Street, announces the engagement of her only daughter, Beatrice Madeline Rodel, to Lenard A. Klein, eldest son of Mrs. B. Klein of Hove, Sussex County, England, and the late Mr. J. Klein. The wedding will take place at 6 o'clock on Thursday evening, March 22, at St. Mary's Anglican Church, Rev. Angus Cameron officiating.

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Reunion after ten years was being celebrated yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Francis and son, Peter—just returned to Canada from the United Kingdom. Mr. Francis, Sr., is well-known in local theatrical circles, has spent lifetime in stage production work. His son, who went overseas with 12th Battery, C.F.A. in 1941, married in England during war, and will joined here soon by wife and five-year-old daughter. He was in radio and television in the U.K.

Roll of Honor Commemorates Women Who Died During War

LONDON, Feb 24 (CP)—A national roll of honor has been dedicated to the memory of more than 25,000 British women who gave their lives in the service of their country during the Second World War.

The roll, bound in red morocco leather, pays special honor to 241 members of the Women's Voluntary Service, whose names are hand-inscribed on its vellum pages. But it will be handed down to posterity as an enduring tribute to the valor, self-sacrifice and devotion to duty of all British women who died by enemy action.

"We wanted ordinary people to feel that ordinary people can be commemorated," said the Dowager Lady Reading, chairman of the organization.

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"These are the women I worked with," she added. "These are the women I have known and whose death I have personally mourned. We hope that this roll of honor will show posterity what type of women these were."

On pages embellished in burnished gold, the names are arranged in territorial order and surrounded by the coats of arms and the wild flower representing the district or county concerned. Thirty-four counties from Renfrewshire to Cornwall, were honored by the names.

Each page has a Rosemary emblem for remembrance and citations are simple. They tell how ordinary women died doing the everyday tasks that are part of a country's strength in wartime.

Started in 1947, the scroll is the work of Miss Claire Evans, a member of the voluntary organization and a founder member of the London Society of Scribes and Illuminators. One of her major tasks in postwar Britain was the gathering of pages and tools for the work. Help, however, came from many parts of the world, including a gift of ink and tools from a friend in the United States.

Historical significance is added by inscribed pictures depicting typical wartime scenes. Among them are an air-raid shelter in a garden, surrounded by flowers; children on a station wagon being pulled to an evacuation train by a woman porter; a bombed-out family receiving clothing at a rest centre and a woman surveying the rubble that was once her home. It also contains a glossary of wartime records and phrases, now almost forgotten.

The roll will soon be on view in London and will then tour the provinces. Later, if sufficient interest is aroused, it may be shown in other parts of the Empire and the United States.

Official Visit

Mrs. Eleanor F. Hotaman of Salt Lake City, Utah, Supreme Queen of the Daughters of the Nile, will make her official visit to Queen of Miriam Temple in Victoria on Tuesday. Mrs. Hotaman is on a tour of temples in the United States and Canada.

Governor's Wife Discourages Sweeping Bows

CAPETOWN, Feb. 24 (Reuters)—"The sweeping curtsey and the deep bow have no place at vice-regal functions, says Mrs. B. O. Jansen, wife of South Africa's new Governor-General.

By tradition the Governor-General and his wife, as representatives of the King, are entitled to deep obeisances when receiving formally.

Mrs. Jansen says that women attending her garden parties and other functions may observe the custom if "they attach value to the curtsey."

But, she says, "an ordinary friendly greeting accompanied by a slight inclination of the head, especially in the case of men, is a suitable form of greeting."

PARTY AT LUXTON

Miss Penny White entertained at the home of her mother, Mrs. O. White, Happy Valley Road, at a party recently.

Two decorated cakes centred the table. Guests included: Joan Allen, Jenks Bishop, Judy and Jan Fraser, Judy Moseley, Martha Mills, Marion Lelberger, Georgina Hiscock, Alison Gardiner, Andrea Hewetson, Sherry Hewetson and Kent MacLeod.

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Vancouver Island Social News

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, Feb. 24.—Meeting at the home of Mrs. J. E. Andrews recently, the W.A. of the Shawnigan Lake United Church returned Mrs. D. McClure as president and chose the following executive: Vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Maitland; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. A. Sutton; work convener, Mrs. W. Kennedy.

Plans were made for a concert on March 8, by the Arbo Club, well-known Victoria male choir. The secretary was authorized to solicit remnants to be made into aprons and other articles for the Fall Bazaar.

The next meeting will be held on the evening of March 30 at the home of Mrs A Hallatt.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Mrs. S. Gummow, superintendent of B.C. Women's Institutes, was guest speaker when Shawnigan Women's Institute observed Founder's Day. With Mrs. Gummow were Mrs F. Glover, member of the Provincial Institute Board, and Institute representative on the Solarium Board; Mrs. D. Davison, vice-president of the South Vancouver Island District Board; Miss H. Leighton, secretary of the District Board, and Mrs John Kyle.

Also invited for the afternoon were the members of the Cobble Hill Women's Institute and several Shawnigan non-members. Following Mrs. Gummow's talk on the founding and work of the Women's Institutes, the afternoon concluded with games, music and refreshments.

QUALICUM BEACH

Organization of a Girl Guide unit will be undertaken following a well-attended meeting held recently at the home of Mrs. H. J. Walsh. Mrs Max Wright, divisional commissioner, of Port Alberni, gave a brief talk on Guiding and organization.

The Mt. Arrowsmith district commissioner, Mrs. J. H. Twinale, was also present. Meeting approved the appointment of Mrs. J. Lynde as leader of the new troop, with Miss P. Moen as Brown Owl. Guides and Brownies are being sponsored by the local branch of the P.-T.A.

PARKSVILLE

Plans for a home cooking sale to be held at Parksville Legion Hall on Saturday morning, March 10, were made at the regular meeting of Mt. Arrowsmith Branch, Legion Ladies' Auxiliary.

Conveners for the sale are Mrs. P Beaudrick and Mrs W. Avery

Mrs. C. Leffler presided at the meeting which was held at Mrs. P. Bleidrake's cottage. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs J Booth and Mrs. H P Butler.

CAMPBELL RIVER

Thirty-five mothers of Girl Guides and Brownies and interested friends met in the Rotary Scout Hall here recently to form a Girl Guide Association.

Mrs. K. Williams of Royston, the District Guide Commissioner, outlined the aims and objects of the organization.

In the election of officers, Mrs. J. W. Hancock was named president; Mrs. George Joslin, vice-president; Mrs. Joseph Corrigal, secretary; Mrs. E. G. Gunnazon, treasurer, and Mrs. C. A. Stone, badge secretary. Mrs. Thomas Hudson, Mrs. J. D. L. Gray and Mrs. Einar Johnson were named to a camp committee.

Mrs Williams was introduced by Mrs. Hazel Anderson of the Rotary Anne, who are sponsoring the group.

CAMPBELL RIVER

Five girls were enrolled into the first Campbell River Brownie Pack at ceremonies held in the Rotary Scout Hall. They were Trudy Hepburn, Marjorie Jordan, Donna Stewart, Viola Bunting and Joy Thornhart.

Golden bars were awarded to Lorraine Compton by Mrs. R. B. Rose, who also officiated at the enrollment.

Brown Owl Mrs. J. Idiens introduced Mrs. W Jackson, who will assist her at Tawny Owl.

Afternoon tea was served by the Brownies to their mothers who were guests of honor at the affair.

A sale of candy and artificial flowers netted $10

SOOKE

The sum of $40 was raised by the Mothers' Union at the recent congregational dinner of Holy Trinity Church, Sooke, it was reported by Secretary-Treasurer Mrs. James Martin at the recent meeting Mrs E. E. Nixon presided at the meeting, held at the home of Mrs Harry Cottam, Grant Road.

WHIST PARTY

Sooke Ladies' Auxiliary to Sooke Branch No. 34, Canadian Legion, sponsored a successful progressive whist party in Sooke Legion Hall recently.

Mrs B. O. Mortimer, Mrs. James Martin, Mr. John Rowry and Mr. B. O. Mortimer were awarded prizes while special prizes went to Mr. A Burgenham and to Mr. Rowry.

Mr. James Martin was master of ceremonies.

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Mrs. Alan Morkill

"Personality of the Week"

By EILEEN LEBAYDE

It is not without recognition that Mrs. Alan Morkill has worked for the furtherance of Girl Guiding [illegible] years.

In fact, she holds the highest honor in guiding, the Silver Fish, which was presented to her in 1938 by Chief Guide, Lady Baden-Powell. She also holds the Medal of Merit which she received in 1937.

While her efforts for guiding have not passed unnoticed, Mrs. Morkill is a person who has worked for the love of the job, and she would be the last person to wish for mention of her achievements.

When she was awarded the M.B.E. for her work with the Victoria Hostess Club during the war, she hastened to proclaim that "the award was given in recognition of the faithful and arduous work of the executive committee and volunteers staff of the Club."

BEGAN IN 1922

Mrs. Morkill began her work with the Guides when she was appointed honorary provincial secretary to Mrs. W. C. Nichol, in 1922. By 1924 she was deputy provincial commissioner and by 1926 she was provincial commissioner.

She resigned from active guiding in 1943 but is still a member of the Constitutions Sub-Committee World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts; a member of the Canadian council, Girl Guides and provincial executive of British Columbia, and chairman of the Greater Victoria camp committee.

Mrs. Morkill, who is an outstanding efficiency administrator and organizer, according to everyone who has ever worked with her say that Lord Baden-Powell's ideas and methods on training young people are as valuable today as they ever were. The one pitfall with guiding today she states, is that it is apt to become too stereotyped, which was not the idea of the founder.

"There is too much emphasis on efficiency and less on the idea of guiding being a game. The ideal to be kept in mind is that of encouraging initiative and resourcefulness. And of course we want young people to be courteous to others and to have self-discipline."

Mrs. Morkill said the guide movement in Victoria was suffering at the moment from lack of adult leadership, that many more senior girls were needed as lieutenants and captains.

OTHER INTERESTS

While guiding has been one of Mrs. Morkill's main interests, it is by no means her only one, for her capacity for organization and leadership has been much in demand.

She was a charter member and an executive of the Women's Canadian Club here.

She was president of the Women's Workroom committee in the depression for helping elderly women, for 12 years. She was assistant commandant of the B.C. Women's Service Corps formed in 1938 and when the Corps was absorbed by the Red Cross Mrs. Morkill became provincial Commandant until headquarters moved to Vancouver, and she also served as president of the Victoria Hostess Club for five years.

Inside of the tremendous job she has undertaken Mrs. Morkill has found time to work in her garden and to become a most enthusiastic fly-fisherwoman.

VICTORIA BORN

Mrs. Morkill was born in Victoria. Her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mara were born in Toronto and it is interesting to note, that they walked here in 1862 on the first overland party from Toronto. Mrs. Morkill says it took them about six months to make the trip.

Mr. Mara became representative of Yale-Cariboo constituency and later from 1882-85 he was speaker of the British Columbia House.

As Frances Mara she attended schools in Victoria, Kamloops, Finland, Switzerland and Germany. In 1907 she was married to Alan Morkill in Christ Church Cathedral. Mr. Morkill went overseas with the 88th battalion in 1914 and returned again in this war going over as a Major with the Canadian Scottish Regiment.

Mrs. Morkill has been overseas a few times herself in connection with her work in guiding. She attended an International conference in the United States in 1936, in England in 1930, in Sweden in 1938 in Switzerland in 1939, in the United States in 1949 and finally in England for the World Association, in which she was a member, accompanied by Queen Elizabeth and Princess Alice.

Mrs. Morkill's achievements should be a heartening example to Guides everywhere and no matter how much she minimizes her efforts it is easy to see why so many honors have been hers.

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Clubs and Societies

St. Mark's W.A. will meet in the Parish Hall on February 27 at 2 p.m.

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Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E. will meet at headquarters on March 1 at 2.15 p.m.

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Cameron Chapter, I.O.D.E. will meet at headquarters on March 3 at 2.15 p.m.

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A tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Hunter, 146 St. Lawrence [illegible] to Britannia Lodge No. 219, L.O.B.A.

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Regular meeting of Major John Hendry Gillespie Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held on February 27 at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. A. Laundy, 3470 Cranmore Avenue.

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Tolmie P.-T.A. will hold a St. Patrick's fancy dress party for the children. It was decided at a meeting held in the school. Following business a candle lighting ceremony commemorating the founding of the P.-T.A. was held. Mrs. C. E. Giles, president, spoke briefly.

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Doncaster-Cedar Hill P.-T.A. completed plans for a rummage sale on March 3 at the recent meeting. Founders' Day was observed at a candle lighting ceremony conducted by Mr A Cullin. Miss S. Stanley took charge of a square dancing session.

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The members of the Comiaas Club met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. H. P. Johns, 856 Harmonia Avenue. Mr. Thomas Barton of the Dominion Immigration Department was guest speaker and gave a very interesting address on Canada's post-war immigration policy and Canadian citizenship.

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The Loral Group of Metropolitan Church met at the home of Mrs. A. C. Bancroft recently. Plans for a Spring tea to be held on April 3 in the church were discussed. Mrs. George Reid gave an interesting talk on a trip to Honolulu. The next meeting will be held at the home of J. T. Taylor, 232 St. Andrews Street.

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Princess Patricia Lodge, 230, Daughters of St. George, held a social meeting recently in the hall with Mrs. M. Haines presiding. Final arrangements were made for the Past Presidents night and the birthday banquet to be held on March 3 at 6.30 p.m. Those wishing to attend are asked to notify Mrs. L. Restall, T. 8881 or Mrs. H. Haines, G. 6230.

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Pride of Victoria, I.O.A. held a mother and daughter banquet to [illegible] Hall recently. Mrs. C. McKay, Guardian, was in charge of arrangements. Grand Juvenile Director Blair T. Burr was guest speaker. Among guests were Mrs. H. Neri and Mrs. V. Elwood, worthy mistresses of Purple Star and Britannia Lodges, respectively. Next meeting will be held on March 6 at 8 p.m. in the Orange Hall.

Girl Guides

The 1st Esquimalt Girl Guide Company celebrated the birthday of the Founder by a joint Scout-Guide party on "Thinking Day," February 22. Invited guests were Miss U. Stocken, District Commissioner, Scoutmaster J. Green with members of his Gorga Vale Troop, and Assistant Scoutmaster J. Clark.

Program arrangements and refreshments were ably managed by Patrol Leaders Pat Lile, Pat Cornthwaite, Loreen Roach and Judy Slade under the direction of Captain F. Coing. The Scouts accepted the invitation to contribute one of their favorites to the games of the evening.

Return From Washington Honeymoon

Mr. and Mrs. George James Timms have returned to the city after a honeymoon motor trip in the State of Washington and are in residence at their new home, 2230 Rutledge Street.

Rev. F. X. M. Tomalin officiated at the ceremony February 17, uniting in marriage the former Sigrid Johnson, youngest daughter of Mrs. Margaret Johnson of Dowsell River, and Mr. Anton Johnson of New Westminster, and George James Timms, son of Mrs James Timms of Victoria and the late Mr. Timms.

The pretty bride, given away by her father, was gowned in white satin [illegible] with lace yoke and [illegible] sleeves. Her veil of illusion net fell fingerlength and was gathered into a scalloped band of satin covered with lace. A heart-shaped bouquet of red roses, stephanotis and white heather completed her costume.

Attending the bride were her sister, Miss Tresi Johnson, maid of honor, wearing blue nylon with insets of eyelet embroidery at neck and in the full skirt; her bandeau and nylon mitts matched her dress and she carried an arm bouquet of blue iris and pink tulips. Mrs. R. Williams chose pale yellow nylon with matching bandeau and mitts, and carried blue iris and yellow tulips. Miss Doreen Hiza was gowned in pink taffeta with pink scalloped bandeau and mitts and carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations. Miss Alan Campbell sang "O Perfect Love" while the register was being signed. The bridegroom had his cousin, Mr. Tom Dalzell Jr., as best man, and ushers were Mr. Robert Johnson, brother of the bride, and Mr. Stanley Hawkes.

The reception was held at Knights of Pythias Hall, Cormorant St. The bride's mother and Mrs. T. Dalzell, aunt of the groom, in the absence of his mother due to illness, welcomed guests with the newlyweds.

The lace-covered table, decorated with bowls of daffodils and lighted ivory tapers, was centred with the three-tiered wedding cake topped with sprigs of white heather.

For traveling the bride chose a cherry-red coat trimmed with grey squirrel, navy blue crepe dress with hat and accessories in the same blue tone, and a corsage of Johanna Hill roses, stephanotis and white heather.

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Length of Stay Threatens Hospital Accommodation

DUNCAN, Feb. 24.—The introduction of the British Columbia Hospital Insurance Service has proven a boon to the hospitals, commented G. E. Wellburn, president of the Board of King's Daughters' Hospital, at the annual meeting here night.

However, the trend had been to lengthen the length of stay of patients to such an extent that hospital accommodation was not adequate, Mr. Wellburn said.

"In 1949, the bed occupancy averaged 345 patient days over 1949, although 171 fewer patients were admitted to hospital. The great increase in patient days took place after the coming into force of the British Columbia Hospital Insurance Service in 1949.

"The trend shows an increasing patient stay in hospital. A comparison of three years shows that the average patient stay increased as follows: 1948, 7.56 days; 1949, 8.3 days; 1950, 8.62 days."

CONSIDER NEED

The hospital board will consider seriously the problem of meeting the great need for more accommodation. A step toward this was made in 1950 when the board purchased six acres of the Grammar School property on Cliffside Road. While plans are being made now, and this need is general and urgent, speculation on when a hospital will be built raises from five to ten years.

If the trend for patients to stay longer in hospital had not been so pronounced since the hospital insurance service was inaugurated in 1949, 428 more patients could have been cared for in the local hospital last year.

PROBLEM COULD BE SOLVED

"If the average length of patient stay was reduced," Mr. Wellburn said, "the bed shortage problem would be eased, as the following comparison shows: If in 1950, each patient had remained in hospital 7.56 days, as in 1948, instead of 8.62 days as in 1950, then a total of 4,960 patients could have been cared for instead of the actual 4,772, or an additional 428 more patients."

A four-bed, lying-in ward in the maternity section of the hospital is being taken into general ward service soon. It will serve an additional 160 patients a year.

AID TO HOSPITALS

The many services afforded by the hospital were touched on by Mr. Wellburn in his annual address.

"The British Columbia Hospital Insurance Service is a wonderful boon to us all," he declared. "It has resulted in more and better hospital service to the public of this province. It is difficult to see how hospitals could possibly maintain their standards and operate successfully without the stability offered by the backing of the hospital insurance service."

"The W.A. had contributed many pieces of equipment during the year, and in addition contributed $22 41 in cash grants and glowing tributes were paid them for their efforts.

COSTS INCREASED

Rising costs of hospital administration were laid to the constantly increasing wage scale demanded, said Mr. P. Hoey, finance chairman, said salaries had increased $60,815 of between 1948 and 1950, to reach $190,817.50 last year. "Further increases will no doubt be demanded this year when the new contracts come up for negotiation," Mr. Hoey said, and when these could be added to the general inflationary trend it is impossible to keep pace with the increases."

The report of Mr. Harry Basendale, administrator, gave a summary of patient days for the last three years, admissions, adult and births, out-patient reports and classifications, and general records of the whole administration.

In his president's address, Mr. Wellburn paid tribute to the high degree of skill of Mr. Basendale, and lauded the efforts of Miss Bertha Jenkins, administrator; Miss F. Matterson, assistant matron, and the whole nursing and lay staff of the hospital.

"The King's Daughters' Hospital is a great credit to the district, to the work of the administrator, and the care and efficiency of the staff," he said. "We have one of the most comfortable and homey institutions among many I have visited and inspected."

Weather Report

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy in the morning, clearing in the afternoon. Occasional showers of rain and snow in the morning. Cooler. Winds north-westerly at 30 m.p.h., decreasing to north-westerly 20 m.p.h. in the afternoon. High at Nanaimo—40. Monday outlook—Sunny.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with occasional snow showers in the morning. Winds westerly at 30 m.p.h. Cooler. High at Estevan—43. Monday outlook — cloudy.

Visitors, Friends Watch Display By Metchosin Scouts and Cubs

METCHOSIN, Feb. 24.—A display by the St. Mary's Metchosin Cubs and Scouts was presented to a packed house in the Parish Hall last night under the leadership of Scoutmaster Christopher Pike and his assistant Geoffrey Mitchell.

Included in the display were exhibitions of knotting, boxing, wrestling and bush first aid. A novelty rope climbing relay race between Scouts and Cubs made a fitting finale for the exhibitions.

Visiting Scouters included honorary commissioner Major H. B. Hunter, district executive commissioner Freeman-King, headquarters secretary Donald Hamer Scott, assistant district commissioner Brown. Words spoke on behalf of the district commissioner, R. A. Fallin, who was unable to attend.

GROUP PRAISED

The Metchosin Cubs and Scouts were congratulated by visitors for attaining a standard of work and appearance equal to any pack or troop in the Victoria district.

During refreshments a cake donated by Mrs. R. P. Bishop was auctioned off adding $5 to the $60 realized from sale of tickets. Funds will be devoted to purchase of equipment, particularly target rifles.

Cubs and Scouts will attend divine service to be conducted by the rector, the Rev. H. M. Bolton, at St. Mary's, Metchosin, tomorrow afternoon.

Prowlers Loot Five Garages

COBBLE HILL, Feb. 24.—Thieves broke into the five service stations in the Cobble Hill, Mill Bay and Shawnigan Lake areas recently. In all cases, the only loot obtained was very small sums of money. Premises entered were Malahat Beach Garage, Mill Bay Garage, Cobble Hill Garage, Morris Service Station and Shawnigan Garage.

For the Malahat Beach and Cobble Hill establishments it was the second visit by prowlers in the past two weeks.

May 24 Group Defers Voting

NANAIMO, Feb. 24.—Poor attendance at a meeting held Thursday night for Empire Day Celebrations committee caused postponement of elections until the March 1 meeting.

Mayor Earle C. Westwood asked that careful study be given the question of financing the various celebration events.

Oliver Bell's suggestion that a May 24 hospital supply given attractive and profitable received a favorable reception. It is expected that the Rotarian Club here will sponsor the Song Box Derby here on May 24 as they did last year.

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Cobble Hill Man Busy at McChord Field

Corporal H. B. Grainger, of Cobble Hill, is shown checking the radio compass on one of the 436 Thunderbird Squadron's North Stars at McChord Field, Tacoma, Wash. Cpl. Grainger has been at McChord since the squadron was assigned to fly war supplies and troops to Tokio six months ago.

(National Defence Photo)

Wellburn Again Chief As Directors Appointed

DUNCAN, Feb. 24.—Four of the retiring seven directors were re-elected to the board of King's Daughters' Hospital last night at the annual meeting in the Legion Hostel and three new directors were elected. Re-elected were: G. E. Wellburn, chairman; R. Cline, H. C. Hoey, J. Stothers. New directors elected: A. W. Jack, Miss J. McFarlane, David R. Williams.

The following seven directors, whose terms expire in 1952, complete the board: E. W. Lea, J. L. Louies, W. K. B. Horsfall, J. B. Creighton, F. Hoey, R. Walton, H. Lewis.

In addition to these, there are the following directors who hold office by appointment: Provincial Government, R. H. Hoskins, City of Duncan, Alderman Walter Hudson, Municipality of North Cowichan, Councillor W. Spencer, Department of Indian Affairs, R. H. Moore, Provincial Order of King's Daughters, Mrs. H. Bradley.

At a board of directors' meeting which followed the annual meeting, Mr. Wellburn was the unanimous choice for president.

Mother, Son Escape Fire; Home Damaged

ALBERNI, Feb. 24.—Mrs. Erle Fix and her son, John, had a narrow escape yesterday when they were singed by flames which badly damaged their River Road home.

The fire started suddenly in the furnace room of the basement. On entering the flat, Mrs. Fix immediately went to awaken her son John, who is a night shift worker. She had difficulty in awaking the son from sleep, and, when she did manage to do so, the hallway was in flames and they had some difficulty in reaching the front door.

The Alberni fire department responded to the call and brought the fire under control. The interior of the house and considerable furniture was badly damaged. The loss is reported to be in the neighborhood of $7,000.

Mr. Fix is a yard foreman at Blandet, Stewart & Welch sawmill.

Deptford Installed Legion Head

CAMPBELL RIVER, Feb. 24.—Lawrence Drysdale was installed as president of Canadian Legion Branch No. 177 at a ceremony in the Legion hall last night. Magistrate P. E. Lewis, past president of the Quathiaski Cove Branch, officiated at the ceremony and also installed first vice-president Neil McDonald, second vice-president Joseph A. Miller, sergeant-at-arms George Peters, and twelve members of the executive committee.

Mr. Lewis also spoke to members about the coming provincial convention scheduled to take place at Penticton in May and urged the local branch to send delegates.

Members agreed to send 1,000 cigarettes each month to the P.P.C.L.I. in Korea.

The branch offered the use of the hall rent free for packed board meetings and pledged assistance in making improvements to the hall park. Charles Mollroey was elected chairman of the entertainment committee. Mollroey therefore will continue as secretary-manager with Alex Linton as treasurer.

Budget Approved At Qualicum Beach

QUALICUM BEACH, Feb. 24.—Approval of the 1951 budget of $159,000 for Qualicum School District 69, was given at the annual board meeting here. This is a reduction from last year's figure of $226,800. Two new buses to replace those in use at present, improvements to school grounds and play areas throughout the district are items covered by the new budget.

Italy has few mineral deposits and especially lacks coal, although it is a large producer of sulphur.

Reviews Work

QUALICUM BEACH, Feb. 24.—Review of the history and good work of the Knights of Pythias since the founding of the order in 1864 was given by Herman Brown of Victoria, Grand Chancellor for B.C. at a B.C. guest speaker at the third annual banquet of K. of P. Lodge No. 67, Qualicum Beach. Guests included Pythian Sisters and friends. C. P. Bagnall, chancellor commander was chairman. Following the banquet, old-time and square dances were enjoyed.

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By-Law Amendment Set By Ladysmith Hospital

LADYSMITH, Feb. 24.—An amendment to the by-laws of the Corporation of the Board of Directors of Ladysmith General Hospital, setting the membership fee at a straight $1 per year, was approved by the Board of Directors.

A fee of $5 per year up to $50 when the membership was conferred has been the rule since the hospital was built up during the mining era here.

GOOD AND WORKABLE

The committee on new by-laws, made up of Mrs. G. B. Lyson, Christopher Bredenberg and Herbert Clayton, found that in comparison to the by-laws of other hospitals those of the Ladysmith Hospital are good and workable. However they are subject to "recommended deletion of outdated items."

A compromise meeting is to be called to make the necessary by-law changes. Directors A. P. Glen, Alderman Hugh McKenzie and Mrs. Ramse Hall were named an action committee on the matter.

Voting delegates named to attend the all-day conference of the Upper Island Regional in Victoria March 10 were secretary George Lasseth and Mrs. C. B. Lytton. Mrs. Mary Cruell and Mrs. Hall will also attend.

Dies in Nanaimo

NANAIMO, Feb. 24.—A resident of Nanaimo for four years and formerly of Victoria, Mrs. Agnes Bland, 68, died here today. She was born in Scotland.

A past worthy matron of the L.O.B.A. in Victoria Mrs. Bland was predeceased by her husband, James, in September, 1950. She is survived by two sons, David in Nanaimo, Herbert in Vancouver, one sister, Mrs. A. M. McAuley in Victoria, four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, February 28, at 2 p.m. in McCall Brothers' Funeral Chapel, Rev. W. W. McPherson will officiate. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Named Director

TORONTO, Feb. 24.—P.—L. B. Colman of the Pictou (Ont.) Gazette was elected chairman of the Union of weeklies of Canada. He succeeds Lloyd Logan of the Pembroke (Ont.) Standard-Observer.

Directors include: B. J. Wynn, The Enterprise, Yorkton, Sask.; Irvin Wilson, West Coast Advocate, Port Alberni, B.C.

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Brewers Ret.	1.00	1.05
Brick Mills "B"	1.00	1.05
Brewis Red Lake	1.00	1.05
Bruneau (Rev)	1.00	1.05
Burns & Co. "A"	1.00	1.05
Burns & Co. "B"	1.00	1.05
Canada Cement "A"	1.00	1.05
Canada Cement	1.00	1.05
Canada Dry Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Canada Packers "A"	1.00	1.05
Canada Packers "B"	1.00	1.05
Canada Vinegars Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Canada Wire & Cable	1.00	1.05
Canadian Breweries Ltd.	1.00	1.05
Canadian Canners	1.00	1.05
Canadian Celanese	1.00	1.05
Canadian Chemical	1.00	1.05
Canadian Cottons	1.00	1.05
Canadian Dredge & Dock	1.00	1.05
Canadian Foundry	1.00	1.05
Canadian Industries Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Canadian Locomotive	1.00	1.05
Canadian Marconi	1.00	1.05
Canadian Pacific Railway	1.00	1.05
Canada Steamships	1.00	1.05
Canada Wire & Cable	1.00	1.05
Cons Paper	1.00	1.05
Crown Cork	1.00	1.05
Crown Cork Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Crown Cork Int. "A"	1.00	1.05
Crown Cork Int. "B"	1.00	1.05
Crown Trust	1.00	1.05
Dominion Bridge	1.00	1.05
Dominion Foundries & Steel	1.00	1.05
Dominion Glass	1.00	1.05
Dominion Stores	1.00	1.05
Dominion Tar & Chem.	1.00	1.05
Dominion Tar & Chem. Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Donnacona Paper	1.00	1.05
Eastern Dairies	1.00	1.05
Easy Washing Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Famous Players	1.00	1.05
Federal Bakeries	1.00	1.05
Fleet Manufacturing	1.00	1.05
Foundation Co.	1.00	1.05
Gatineau Power	1.00	1.05
General Bakeries Pfd.	1.00	1.05
General Motors	1.00	1.05
General Steel Wares Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Gypsum Lime	1.00	1.05
Hamilton Bridge	1.00	1.05
Harding Carpets	1.00	1.05
Hinde & Dauch	1.00	1.05
Hollinger Cons.	1.00	1.05
Imperial Oil	1.00	1.05
Imperial Tobacco 6% Pfd.	1.00	1.05
International Nickel	1.00	1.05
International Paper	1.00	1.05
International Utilities	1.00	1.05
International Utilities Pfd.	1.00	1.05
International Petroleum	1.00	1.05
Jamaica Public Service	1.00	1.05
Jellicoe Coal	1.00	1.05
Kelvinator	1.00	1.05
Lake of the Woods	1.00	1.05
Lake of the Woods Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Laura Secord	1.00	1.05
Loblaws "A"	1.00	1.05
Loblaws Grocs. "A"	1.00	1.05
Loblaws Grocs. "B"	1.00	1.05
Lowney	1.00	1.05
Magnet Cons.	1.00	1.05
Massey Harris	1.00	1.05
Massey Harris Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Maple Leaf Mill	1.00	1.05
Maple Leaf Milling	1.00	1.05
Montreal Cottons	1.00	1.05

	Bid	Ask
Montreal Cottons Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Modern Containers	1.00	1.05
Molson "A"	1.00	1.05
Molson "B"	1.00	1.05
Montreal Locomotive	1.00	1.05
National Breweries	1.00	1.05
National Breweries Pfd.	1.00	1.05
National Steel Car	1.00	1.05
National Sugar Refining	1.00	1.05
National Drug & Chem. Pfd.	1.00	1.05
National Grocers	1.00	1.05
National Grocers Pfd.	1.00	1.05
National Hosiery "A"	1.00	1.05
National Hosiery "B"	1.00	1.05
National Steel Car	1.00	1.05
Northern Ont. Gas	1.00	1.05
Ontario Steel Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Ontario Steel Prod. Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Pacific Mills	1.00	1.05
Page-Hersey	1.00	1.05
Penman's Ltd.	1.00	1.05
Power Corporation	1.00	1.05
Power Corporation Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Price Bros.	1.00	1.05
Provincial Paper	1.00	1.05
Quebec Power	1.00	1.05
Rolland Paper	1.00	1.05
Rolland Paper Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Russell Ind.	1.00	1.05
Sarnia Bridge	1.00	1.05
St. Lawrence Corp.	1.00	1.05
St. Lawrence Corp. Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Shawinigan	1.00	1.05
Sherwin Williams	1.00	1.05
Shop & Save	1.00	1.05
Simpsons "A"	1.00	1.05
Simpsons "B"	1.00	1.05
Southern Canada Power	1.00	1.05
Steel Co. of Canada	1.00	1.05
Steel of Canada Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Stuart Oil	1.00	1.05
Sun Life	1.00	1.05
Supertest Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Taylor Pulp	1.00	1.05
Taylor Pulp Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Thrift Stamps	1.00	1.05
Tip Top Tops	1.00	1.05
Tip Top Tops Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Toronto Elevators	1.00	1.05
Toronto Iron Works	1.00	1.05
Traders Finance "A"	1.00	1.05
Traders Finance "B"	1.00	1.05
Twin City Rapid Transit	1.00	1.05
Walker "A"	1.00	1.05
Walker "B"	1.00	1.05
Walker Hiram	1.00	1.05
Western Grocers	1.00	1.05

Closing Averages

(G. A. Humber, Ltd.)

DOW JONES

Thirty industrials, 255.52, up .76.
Twenty railroads, 56.56, up .07.
Fifteen utilities, 43.97, up .29.
Sixty-five stocks, 94.75, up .31.
Volume 680,000 shares.

(James Richardson & Sons)

Industrials, 332.97, up 12.
Golds, 92.60, up .56.
Rails, 104.42, off .68.
Western oils, 194.04, up .97.
Sales 811,000.

MONTREAL

Industrials, 214.2 up 1.
Utilities, 80.1 unchanged.
Golds, 72.28, off .14.
Papers, 103.99, off 4.84.
Sales 243,300

Vancouver Listed

(Hagar Investments, Ltd.)

GOLD	Bid	Asked
Allied Oil	1.12	1.20
Anglo Canadian Oil	1.00	1.05
Argonaut	3.15	3.20
A.P. Con.	.90	.92
Bralorne Pioneer	1.00	1.05
C.M.& S. Corporation	1.00	1.05
Chimiss	1.13	1.20
Cariboo	1.00	1.05
Central Patricia	4.00	4.10
Central Lake	1.00	1.05
Chibougamau	3.00	3.05
Cons. Quebec	1.00	1.05
Dolphin	1.32	1.40
Dominion Oil	1.00	1.05
Dominion Petroleum	2.04	2.15
Dominion Scottish	1.00	1.05
Fairchild Oil	1.00	1.05
Fortune	1.00	1.05
Gas & Oil	1.00	1.05
Gold Belt	1.00	1.05
Grandoro	1.00	1.05
Hasaga	1.00	1.05
Hedley Mascot	1.00	1.05
Highland Bell	1.00	1.05
Hudson Rand	1.00	1.05
Indian	1.00	1.05
Kerr Addison	1.00	1.05
Kirkland Lake	1.00	1.05
Lamaque	1.00	1.05
Lexindin	1.00	1.05
Lorado	1.00	1.05
Lorrain Red Lake	1.00	1.05
Lyndhurst	1.00	1.05
Mandy	1.00	1.05
Marlon	1.00	1.05
Mercury	1.00	1.05
Mosher Long	1.00	1.05
Oban	1.00	1.05
Pacific Petroleum	4.00	4.10
Pamdor	1.00	1.05
Pan Dome	1.00	1.05
Rand Kirkland	1.00	1.05
Reno	1.00	1.05
Sherman	1.00	1.05
Sladen	1.00	1.05
Stadacona	1.00	1.05
Sudbury Contact	1.00	1.05
Sylvanite	1.00	1.05
Thompson	1.00	1.05
Tonkin Springer	1.00	1.05
Upper Canada	1.00	1.05
Vangorda	1.00	1.05
Wasamac	1.00	1.05
Wedge	1.00	1.05
Wright Hargreaves	1.00	1.05
Yellowknife Bear	1.00	1.05

Montreal Industrials

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Amulet Cons.	24%	25%
Aluminium Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Atlantic Sugar "A"	1.00	1.05
Atlantic Sugar "B"	1.00	1.05
Atlantic Cotton	1.00	1.05
Bank of Montreal	1.00	1.05
Bank of Nova Scotia	1.00	1.05
Bank of Toronto	1.00	1.05
Bank of Montreal	1.00	1.05
Bank of Nova Scotia	1.00	1.05
Bank of Toronto	1.00	1.05
Bathurst "A"	1.00	1.05
Bell Telephone	1.00	1.05
Brazilian Traction	1.00	1.05
B.C. Power "A"	1.00	1.05
B.C. Power Preferred	1.00	1.05
B.C. Packers "A"	1.00	1.05
B.C. Power "A"	1.00	1.05
Brewis Co. Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Brewis Co. Com.	1.00	1.05
Brick Mills "A"	1.00	1.05
Brick Mills "B"	1.00	1.05
Bruneau (Rev)	1.00	1.05
Burns & Co. "A"	1.00	1.05
Burns & Co. "B"	1.00	1.05
Canada Cement	1.00	1.05
Canada Cement Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Canada Packers "A"	1.00	1.05
Canada Packers "B"	1.00	1.05
Canada Vinegars	1.00	1.05
Canada Wire & Cable	1.00	1.05
Canadian Breweries Ltd.	1.00	1.05
Canadian Canners	1.00	1.05
Canadian Celanese	1.00	1.05
Canadian Chemical	1.00	1.05
Canadian Cottons	1.00	1.05
Canadian Dredge & Dock	1.00	1.05
Canadian Foundry	1.00	1.05
Canadian Industries Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Canadian Locomotive	1.00	1.05
Canadian Marconi	1.00	1.05
Canadian Pacific Railway	1.00	1.05
Canada Steamships	1.00	1.05
Canada Wire & Cable	1.00	1.05
Cons Paper	1.00	1.05
Crown Cork	1.00	1.05
Crown Cork Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Crown Cork Int. "A"	1.00	1.05
Crown Cork Int. "B"	1.00	1.05
Crown Trust	1.00	1.05
Dominion Bridge	1.00	1.05
Dominion Foundries & Steel	1.00	1.05
Dominion Glass	1.00	1.05
Dominion Stores	1.00	1.05
Dominion Tar & Chem.	1.00	1.05
Dominion Tar & Chem. Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Donnacona Paper	1.00	1.05
Eastern Dairies	1.00	1.05
Easy Washing Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Famous Players	1.00	1.05
Federal Bakeries	1.00	1.05
Fleet Manufacturing	1.00	1.05
Foundation Co.	1.00	1.05
Gatineau Power	1.00	1.05
General Bakeries Pfd.	1.00	1.05
General Motors	1.00	1.05
General Steel Wares Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Gypsum Lime	1.00	1.05
Hamilton Bridge	1.00	1.05
Harding Carpets	1.00	1.05
Hinde & Dauch	1.00	1.05
Hollinger Cons.	1.00	1.05
Imperial Oil	1.00	1.05
Imperial Tobacco 6% Pfd.	1.00	1.05
International Nickel	1.00	1.05
International Paper	1.00	1.05
International Utilities	1.00	1.05
International Utilities Pfd.	1.00	1.05
International Petroleum	1.00	1.05
Jamaica Public Service	1.00	1.05
Jellicoe Coal	1.00	1.05
Kelvinator	1.00	1.05
Lake of the Woods	1.00	1.05
Lake of the Woods Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Laura Secord	1.00	1.05
Loblaws "A"	1.00	1.05
Loblaws Grocs. "A"	1.00	1.05
Loblaws Grocs. "B"	1.00	1.05
Lowney	1.00	1.05
Magnet Cons.	1.00	1.05
Massey Harris	1.00	1.05
Massey Harris Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Maple Leaf Mill	1.00	1.05
Maple Leaf Milling	1.00	1.05
Montreal Cottons	1.00	1.05
Montreal Cottons Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Modern Containers	1.00	1.05
Molson "A"	1.00	1.05
Molson "B"	1.00	1.05
Montreal Locomotive	1.00	1.05
National Breweries	1.00	1.05
National Breweries Pfd.	1.00	1.05
National Steel Car	1.00	1.05
National Sugar Refining	1.00	1.05
National Drug & Chem. Pfd.	1.00	1.05
National Grocers	1.00	1.05
National Grocers Pfd.	1.00	1.05
National Hosiery "A"	1.00	1.05
National Hosiery "B"	1.00	1.05
National Steel Car	1.00	1.05
Northern Ont. Gas	1.00	1.05
Ontario Steel Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Ontario Steel Prod. Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Pacific Mills	1.00	1.05
Page-Hersey	1.00	1.05
Penman's Ltd.	1.00	1.05
Power Corporation	1.00	1.05
Power Corporation Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Price Bros.	1.00	1.05
Provincial Paper	1.00	1.05
Quebec Power	1.00	1.05
Rolland Paper	1.00	1.05
Rolland Paper Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Russell Ind.	1.00	1.05
Sarnia Bridge	1.00	1.05
St. Lawrence Corp.	1.00	1.05
St. Lawrence Corp. Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Shawinigan	1.00	1.05
Sherwin Williams	1.00	1.05
Shop & Save	1.00	1.05
Simpsons "A"	1.00	1.05
Simpsons "B"	1.00	1.05
Southern Canada Power	1.00	1.05
Steel Co. of Canada	1.00	1.05
Steel of Canada Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Stuart Oil	1.00	1.05
Sun Life	1.00	1.05
Supertest Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Taylor Pulp	1.00	1.05
Taylor Pulp Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Thrift Stamps	1.00	1.05
Tip Top Tops	1.00	1.05
Tip Top Tops Pfd.	1.00	1.05
Toronto Elevators	1.00	1.05
Toronto Iron Works	1.00	1.05
Traders Finance "A"	1.00	1.05
Traders Finance "B"	1.00	1.05
Twin City Rapid Transit	1.00	1.05
Walker "A"	1.00	1.05
Walker "B"	1.00	1.05
Walker Hiram	1.00	1.05
Western Grocers	1.00	1.05

New York Exchange

(G. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Close
Allied Chemicals	39
Allied Stores	19
American Tobacco	69
American Smelter	55
American Can Co.	34
Anaconda Copper	38
A. G. Bachar	7
Atlantic Refining	19
Aviation Corp.	12
B. & O. Railway	19
Bendix	39
C.P.R.	15
C. & O. Railway	34
Chrysler	54
Cons. Edison	27
Columbia Gas	16
Curtiss Wright	5
Dodge	36
Dupont	180
Eastman Kodak	40
Erie	7
Electric Power	5
Firestone	43
Ford	44
General Motors	54
Goodrich	64
Goodyear	36
Gen. Foods	31
Gen. Electric	40
Gen. Mills	52
Gen. Pub. Service	5
Gen. Steel Wares	5
Greyhound	15
Hudson Motors	29
Int. Harvester	31
Int. Nickel	41
Int. Paper	69
Int. Tel. & T.	19
Int. Rockefeller	7
Kennecott Copper	63
Lorillard	15
Loews Theatres	11
Long Bell Lumber	41
New York Central	16
Nat'l Dairy Prod.	30
Nat'l Distillers	19
Nat'l Biscuit	39
Pan Am. W.A.	3
Penney	60
Radio	9
Reming. Rand	30
Reading Coal	19
Republic Steel	30
Sears Roebuck	37
Shell Oil	37
Studebaker	30
Standard Oil Calif.	49
Standard Oil N.J.	66
Standard Oil Ind.	31
Sears Roebuck	37
Swift	29
Sinclair Oil	13
Texas Co.	42
Texas Gulf Sulphur	34
Timken Det.	40
Union Carbide	69
Union Pacific	69
U.S. Steel	36
U.S. Rubber	29
Westinghouse Electric	40
Woolworth	38
Zenith Radio	69

	Close
Great Northern	30
Gen. Motors	54
Int. Nickel	41
Int. Paper	69
Int. T. & T.	19
Int. Rockefeller	7
Kennecott Copper	63
Loews Theatre	11
Long Bell Lumber	41
New York Central	16
Norfolk Western	1
Nat'l Dairy Prod.	30
Nat'l Distillers	19
Nat'l Biscuit	39
Pan Am. W.A.	3
Penney	60
Radio	9
Reming. Rand	30
Reading Coal	19
Republic Steel	30
Sears Roebuck	37
Schenley Distillers	49
Shell Oil	37
Sinclair Oil	13
Sears Roebuck	37
Studebaker	30
Standard Oil Calif.	49
Standard Oil N.J.	66
Standard Oil Ind.	31
Swift	29
Texas Co.	42
Texas Gulf Sulphur	34
Timken Det.	40
Union Carbide	69
Union Pacific	69
U.S. Steel	36
U.S. Rubber	29
Westinghouse Electric	40
Woolworth	38
Zenith Radio	69

Unlisted Toronto Mines

(Curtis & McDuffie, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
August Porphyry	.07	.12
Bralorne McDonald	1.00	1.05
Brunette	.03	.05
Bulolo	1.00	1.05
Cariboo	1.00	1.05
Cal. Superior	.05	.10
Cobalt	.03	.05
Cobalt Silver	.03	.05
Crown Reserve	1.00	1.05
Dolphin	.03	.05
Dome	1.00	1.05
Jerome	.03	.05
Jolin	.03	.05
Kerr Addison	1.00	1.05
Lake Shore	1.00	1.05
Lamaque	1.00	1.05
Lorado	1.00	1.05
Marmon	.03	.05
Mylamaque	.03	.05
Magnetic	.03	.05
Norbeau	.03	.05
Oban	1.00	1.05
Pickle Crow	1.00	1.05
Pamdor	.03	.05
Pan Dome	1.00	1.05
Rexmac	.03	.05
Rand Kirkland	1.00	1.05
Sladen	1.00	1.05
Stadacona	1.00	1.05
Sudbury Contact	1.00	1.05
Sylvanite	1.00	1.05
Thompson	1.00	1.05
Tonkin Springer	1.00	1.05
Upper Canada	1.00	1.05
Vangorda	1.00	1.05
Wasamac	1.00	1.05
Wedge	1.00	1.05
Wright Hargreaves	1.00	1.05
Yellowknife Bear	1.00	1.05

Grain Prices

WINNIPEG
(G. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Oats—	Close	High	Low	Close	Prev. Cl.
May	87¼	87¼	86¾	86¾	87¼
July	87¼	87¼	86¾	86¾	87¼
Oct.	87¼	87¼	86¾	86¾	87¼
Barley—					
May	117¼	117¼	116¾	116¾	117¼
July	117¼	117¼	116¾	116¾	117¼
Oct.	116¾	116¾	116¾	116¾	116¾
Flax—					
May	340¼	342¼	337	337	340
July	340¼	342¼	337	337	340
Oct.	340¼	342¼	337	337	340

CASH GRAIN

	Close
Oats—	
No. 2 C.W.	111¼
No. 3 C.W.	104¼
No. 1 C.W.	154¼
Barley—	
No. 3 C.W.	116
Flax—	
No. 1 C.W.	337

CHICAGO
(G. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	Close	High	Low	Close	Prev. Cl.
May	221¼	224¼	218¼	218¼	220¼
July	224¼	227¼	221¼	221¼	223¼
Sept.	224¼	227¼	221¼	221¼	223¼
Oats—					
May	150¼	151¼	149¼	149¼	150¼
July	150¼	151¼	149¼	149¼	150¼
Sept.	150¼	151¼	149¼	149¼	150¼
Barley—					
May	192¼	193¼	191¼	191¼	192¼
July	192¼	193¼	191¼	191¼	192¼
Sept.	192¼	193¼	191¼	191¼	192¼
Flax—					
May	337¼	344¼	335¼	335¼	337¼
July	337¼	344¼	335¼	335¼	337¼
Sept.	337¼	344¼	335¼	335¼	337¼

Canadian Bonds

(Dominion Dealers' Association)
COMMISSION OF CANADA

3rd Victory Lo	3	6	1950	101
4th Victory Lo	3	6	1951	101
5th Victory Lo	3	6	1952	101
6th Victory Lo	3	6	1953	101
7th Victory Lo	3	6	1954	101
8th Victory Lo	3	6	1955	101
9th Victory Lo	3	6	1956	101
10th Victory Lo	3	6	1957	101
Dominion	3	6	1958	101
Dominion	3	6	1959	101

DOMINION GUARANTEES

C.N.R.	4	6	1955	101
C.N.R.	4	6	1956	101
C.N.R.	4	6	1957	101
C.N.R.	4	6	1958	101
C.N.R.	4	6	1959	101

PROVINCIAL SECURITIES

B.C.	3	6	1960	95
B.C.	3½	6	1962	95
B.C.	4	6	1964	95
Saskatchewan	3½	6	1960	95
Saskatchewan	3½	6	1961	95
Saskatchewan	3½	6	1962	95
Saskatchewan	3½	6	1963	95
Saskatchewan	4	6	1964	95
Manitoba	3½	6	1960	95

Bear's Keeper Wins Medal

LONDON, Feb. 26 (CP) — Bruce Smith, the keeper of Brumas, London Zoo's baby polar bear and prize attraction, is to be honored by the Zoological Society.

He will receive the society's bronze medal for being the first keeper to succeed in rearing a polar bear in the long history of London and Whipsnade Zoos this medal has been awarded to only 18 men, of whom six are still living.

Smith, aged 41, has been a keeper since he was 16. Although he is a man, his responsibilities are increasing and how he loves the thought of the time which beautiful Gloria expects in May.

"You're thin, Jimmy," I said, as soon as I had a good look at him. "Where's all that wonderful weight you put on after you were married?"

"I dropped 12 pounds in the London hospital when I had that appendicitis," he said. "You see, I only had ten days after the operation before I returned to the studio to finish 'No Highway.' The British doctors told me to rest, but you know me. I love to make pictures. I think that any actor who stays off the screen for any length of time is digging his own grave. I want to make as many pictures as I can, but good ones, of course. Not because I'm greedy for money, but because I feel it's important to my future."

Last year Jimmy gave us "Harvey," which many people will still win him an Oscar. His "Broken Arrow" was a terrific hit at the box office, and "Winchester '73," a Western, did all right too in the matter of dollars and cents.

MORE NAMES NEEDED

"What did you think," I asked him, "when Gloria finally reached you over the long-distance telephone in London to tell you you were going to be the father of twins?"

"Well, you would have knocked me over," he said. "We'd talked about naming the baby Kelly if it is a girl and naming him Alexander, after my dad, if it is a boy, but to have two of them—that's something again. We'll have to think up a couple more names."

"What do you want, Jimmy, boys or girls?" I asked him.

Jimmy laughed. "You know, my dad already says, 'when the two boys are born' Gloria wants both a girl and a boy. I want either two girls or two boys, and I want them identical twins."

"Have you put in your order?" I asked him.

"Not yet," he said, "but I may say day."

Jimmy, the town's most eligible bachelor at the time Gloria Hatrick McLean picked him off her, has been doing a great job to her two sons, who adore him.

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BOYS WORE BERETS

It can be said of Jimmy Stewart, he knows where he's going and what he's going to do next. He hadn't been in town for two days till he was talking to William Costa about another Western to follow "Winchester '73." He'll do "The Bend of the Snake" for Bill. He also has to go on the road with the De Mille circus picture, "The Greatest Show on Earth," and when he's going to get that rest I don't know. Although it will be several months before De Mille is ready for him.

"Wasn't you—or is—the bachelor come while you're traveling with the circus?" I asked him.

"I'll be right with Gloria. Every contract I've made gives me permission to be with her at that time, and, believe me," he said, "I'm never going to miss another Christmas with my family. We couldn't get our picture made in London in time because of that old spondylitis. And, while all my friends in London tried to make it a great Christmas, believe me, I was never so lonely in my life.

"It's all right, when you're a bachelor to spend your holidays alone, but now that I'm married, I want to be with my family."

Jimmy Stewart Busy Actor But Wants His Family Life

HEARD IN HOLLYWOOD

BY LOUELLA O. PARSONS

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 26.—Jimmy Stewart draped his long length in a chair close to the fireplace as he told me something of the plans he has made for the future. He has just returned from Europe and had dropped in to see me.

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Uncle Wiggly Story

By Howard Garis

HOLE IN THE ICE

When Uncle Wiggly fell down the second time as he was trying to skate on frozen Frog Pond, he heard as I told you in yesterday's story, someone laughing at him.

At least it sounded like laughing to the rabbit gentleman. He was so unhappy that he couldn't twinkle his pink nose, even on one side. Mr. Longears just sat there on the ice, looking at his skates and wondering why he had fallen down twice.

sounded like laughter came to the ears of the rabbit uncle. He looked all around Frog Pond but he could see no one. The boys and girls were still in Hollow Tree School and there was no one at all on the pond.

"This is very mysterious," said Uncle Wiggly softly to himself. "Someone laughed because I fell down twice, but I see no one. I am going to find out about this."

Still sitting where he had fallen, Uncle Wiggly shouted.

"Who is laughing at me? I think it isn't very polite to laugh at me for falling down. This is the first time I have tried to skate this Winter and I can't exactly remember

is laughing at me?"

"I wasn't laughing, Uncle Wiggly," said a voice from a tree on the shore of Frog Pond.

"It sounded like laughing," said Mr. Longears.

"This is very mysterious," said Uncle Wiggly softly to himself. "Someone laughed because I fell down twice, but I see no one. I am going to find out about this."

Still sitting where he had fallen, Uncle Wiggly shouted.

"Who is laughing at me? I think it isn't very polite to laugh at me for falling down. This is the first time I have tried to skate this Winter and I can't exactly remember

sing 'Caw! Caw! Caw!' which sounds like 'Ha! Ha! Ha!' at you any more, Uncle Wiggly. At least not while you are sitting on the ice. But please tell me why you are sitting there on the ice, Uncle Wiggly, isn't it very cold?"

"No, it isn't cold," answered the rabbit uncle. "I am sitting on my warm fur coat."

"I am glad to know that," said Mr. Crow. "But I can't see why that fun you have sitting on the ice. Why don't you skate? I see you have skates on your two hind paws."

"Yes, I have on my skates," admitted Uncle Wiggly, "and I have been trying to skate."

"How did you make out?" asked Mr. Crow.

"I didn't make out yet at all," said Uncle Wiggly. "I fell down twice and if I get up and try to strike out and skate I may fall again. I think I shall sit up, take off my skates and go home to my bungalow. I guess I am getting too old to skate."

"Oh, don't say that, Uncle Wiggly," answered the crow. "If you want to skim around on the ice, I can tell you a way and you will not fall."

"Please tell me," begged Uncle Wiggly.

"Just stand up on your skates," advised Mr. Crow. "Steady yourself. Then open your coat as if it were a sail on a boat. The wind will blow you along over the ice and you will not need to strike out with either your right hind paw or your left hind paw. Stand up and let the wind blow on your spread-out coat and you will almost be skating."

"Thank you! I'll try that," said Uncle Wiggly. He carefully stood up, holding his hind paws and their skates close together. He unbuttoned his coat and held it spread out on either side. There was a sudden gust of wind and Uncle Wiggly found himself gliding over the ice. He went faster and faster.

"Hurray!" shouted Mr. Longears again. "Hip hurray!" He was going quite fast when Mr. Crow shouted:

"Stop! Stop, Uncle Wiggly. There is a big hole in the ice in front of you. Stop! Stop!"

Did Uncle Wiggly stop? I will tell you in Tuesday's story if the wind doesn't blow the old Christmas tree out of the backyard and up into the air like a green balloon.

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Little Boy Lost

By MARGHANITA LASKI

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CHAPTER XI—Continued

In the recent, saddest room Hilary had ever seen. There were some forty iron beds arranged in four ugly rows, two rows with their heads to the wall, two rows in the centre of the room. Each bed was covered with a thin gray blanket. By each bed was a wooden chair. There was no other furniture. There was pictures on the dark green distempered walls. These were no toys. Each bed was anonymous and identical.

"This is the youngest children's room," said the nun. "It is here that your—that the little Jean sleeps. This, I think, is his bed." She looked down at it and shook her head, "Oh, naughty Jean."

"Why, what has he done?" asked Hilary.

In the middle of the grey blanket someone had placed a little pile of things. There was a pine cone, a stone marble with nearly all its color rubbed away, a used American stamp, and a tiny little enthroned swan with its head broken off and a dirty piece of rag tied round its neck for a bandage.

The Mother Superior laughed. "The children will hide things in their beds," she explained. "They know it means the loss of a mark if they are found out, but we can't stop them doing it. I'm afraid that is your—this time she did not correct the pronoun—your little Jean is a very bad offender."

Hilary asked, "What does the loss of a mark entail?"

"Most of our children have families or relatives who take them for their school holidays," the nun replied. "Every ten marks lost means a day off their holidays. For little Jean, it will not mean very much, except, of course, that it is felt as a great disgrace to lose marks."

This child had not even a choice of treasures to comfort him, Hilary thought suddenly. In the hall again, the nun said, "We have still some time before the children come back. Would you like to see the schoolrooms? It is Monsieur Mercatel whom I am anxious you should meet. The biggest boys are learning mathematics with Monsieur Mercatel. I must tell you that he is the only one of my colleagues who knows the true reason for your visit with us. He is I know, anxious to have an opportunity to discuss the boy with you."

CHAPTER XII

Hilary followed the Mother Superior into the school room, his interest forced on the teacher, coming to greet the visitors, hand outstretched in welcome. He might have been a native of any country, this small thin grey-haired gentleman, kindly mouth, mild blue eyes, the cultured European of true goodness and no importance whatever.

"You are studying geometry today, are you not?" said the Mother Superior when the introductions had been performed. "I do not know if that is a subject that interests you, Monsieur Wainwright?"

"Poets are seldom interested in geometry," commented Monsieur Mercatel with a smile at Hilary, who felt disproportionately pleased that this man should know of him in his own right, not merely as the father seeking his lost son.

"Even for the edification of your boys I cannot pretend to be interested in geometry," he said aloud, smiling with friendliness at the class.

Everyone laughed. The three adults stood by the diagrams on the blackboard and talked in low voices.

"I was wondering," said Monsieur Mercatel, "whether it would be possible for you, monsieur, to come to a cafe with me one evening so that we could make one another's better acquaintance?"

Hilary agreeing, he went on, "Tomorrow? Shall I fetch you at your hotel at about eight o'clock?"

"The Hotel d'Angleterre," said Hilary.

Monsieur Mercatel shrugged distastefully. "There is no longer anywhere else," and when good-byes were said and Hilary and the Mother Superior left the room.

Hilary asked, "What is wrong with the Hotel d'Angleterre?"

The nun answered reluctantly. "As a Christian one should be charitable, monsieur, but as a Frenchwoman it is difficult to refrain from making judgements. The position of a housekeeper is difficult under an occupation, but there were some who brought out their worst wines for the Germans and those who brought out their best. Monsieur Lefaivre was one of the latter."

"How unpleasant," said Hilary. "Do you mean he was a collaborationist?"

"Oh no," said the nun. "The Lefaivres would never have enough courage to take bold action, not even wrong action. It was most unfortunate that the other hotels were bombed."

"They didn't seem at all pleased to see me at the hotel," said Hilary thoughtfully.

"They are a cowardly people," said the nun emotionally. "Probably thought that, being an Englishman, you had come to bring restitution." She dismissed the subject as a bell began to clang.

"Ah," said the nun, "now lessons are over today, monsieur. I will send Jean to you as soon as he has had something to eat, and then, if you wish, you may take him out with you."

She shut Hilary into the waiting-room and went away, and he sat there frozen in thought. Time stopped for him while he sat there waiting.

Then he heard the door handle turning. He stood up and faced the door. The little boy came in and

in the instant before his eyes perceived the child, there was born from his blood, his body, his very consciousness the conviction that this was his son.

And then he looked at the child and told himself with a kind of horror. How could I ever have imagined that this child was mine!

For, incredibly, a picture of his

He did not know this. If he tried consciously to imagine a boy who might be his, his conscious mind gave no response. But his unconscious mind retained as the image of his son the child in the snapshot that he had refused to send to Pierre, the five-year-old English boy in his grey flannel shorts and blazer, short grey socks, neat brown walking shoes, wide laughing eyes under the grey felt hat, and a cheerful confident grin. In his memory of this picture his deepest expectations of recognition were founded.

But facing him was a thin little boy in a black sateen overall. Its sleeves were too short and from them dangled red swollen hands too big for the frail wrists. Hilary looked from those painful hands to the little boy's long thin gaunt legs, to the ankle course socks falling over shabby black boots that were surely several sizes too large. This a foreign child, he thought numbly, and then he let himself look at the small white face turned

to him, a lock of black hair falling over enormous dark eyes that stared imperiously into his.

He knew that he should have moved toward the child, greeted him naturally and with friendliness. But he could only stand and stare with horror and repulsion, saying wildly to himself, Why does he look at me like that? He doesn't know why I'm here. Why does he look at me like that?

He suddenly remembered as he stood there, trying desperately to move forward to the casual greeting his Aunt Jessie telling him about his early childhood, whenever she used to visit him at his home, he would stand by her chair to the drawing-room with huge imploring eyes fixed upon her and she would know that he was saying, Please take me back to the farm with you, please take me back to the farm.

And then the door opened behind the child and the Mother Superior came in, a child's coat over her arm.

Her eyes flickered from one to the other, and she said briskly, "Well, have you introduced yourselves yet? Jean, this is the English gentleman I was telling you about, Monsieur Wainwright. Shake hands with him at once. I don't know where your manners are."

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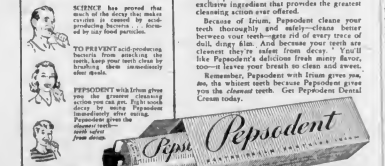

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Birds From Bits of Wood

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John Gervers, of Kelowna, Carves Feathered Friends as Pastime

By ED. HUNT

LIKE Victor Hugo, John Gervers, of Kelowna, British Columbia, is also "a lover of soft-winged things." After leaving his satisfactorily nestling close to a mountain in the famed fruit-growing Okanagan valley, I gained the impression that there is a man close to something that is very good.

The birds know this for they are his friends. That he is their friend is reflected in his hobby carving birds as well as the district, in wood.

IN THE WOODS

Greatness is hid in this old white house some 30 years old a few miles out and the oldest residence in the valley—almost obscured by the foliage and unnoticed by motorists who pass but a few hundred feet away. After I had taken that detour to the left and seen John Gervers' accurate and sympathetic portrayal of birds that thereafter come to life in wood, I became acutely aware that the passing parade of today misses much in its desire to get some place fast, undoubtedly we miss the magic, splendored thing.

It may be that it takes the trained ear of this middle-aged strategist to catch the blithe song of a bird, his eye to mirror the carefree grace of winged creatures whose home is the blue vault of happy skies.

A FEW TOOLS

It takes all this and more to fashion such attributes from a permanmate block of wood. Mr. Gervers uses few tools in his work. A jackknife, a few gouges and chisels are sufficient—meticulous and exacting care—from this emerges each model in all its perfection.

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Colouring of these carved birds is done in oils and is as true to Nature as possible. There is no mistaking the beautiful sky-blue of the bluebird's coat or the familiar colors of the cheeky little chickadee. The latter, including finches and nuthatches are used for bookends, the waxing killdeer, meadowlark and robins were are placed on stands according to their natural position.

USES, CEDAR

Yellow cedar is used for carving the birds. Stands are made from cherry, pea, juniper and apple wood.

Already these "birds that do have brought happiness to many whose owners feel that at any moment melodic notes will burst forth from the throats of these wooden masterpieces.

"Birds, the free tenants of earth, air and ocean, their forms all symmetry, their motions grace," with understandably continue to frequent John Gervers' orchard home in early morn, at noon day, in shaded bush of sunset, a symphony of joyful praise shall arise, returning the love of an appreciative and understanding man.

ABOVE is a carved reproduction of a sparrow hawk. The bird is fashioned out of yellow cedar and painted with oils. For natural coloring Mr. Gervers has scores of birds in his collection, suitable for book ends, ash trays, lamp stands and other ornaments.

CANADIAN TRAILS

By Leonard L. Knott

Furs for Sale

LONG before Canadians learned how to make automobiles and airplanes, and before they began growing wheat or mining gold, the two most important industries in this New World were hunting and fishing. Off the shores of Newfoundland and the coasts of Nova Scotia, fishermen from many nations came in search of codfish, while up the St. Lawrence River and the Great Lakes, and down from Hudson Bay, the hunters and trappers came in search of furs.

The fur trade is still important to Canada today and many men earn their living by trapping fur-bearing animals and buying and selling furs to make into women's coats. Even though there are now many large cities in Canada, this is still a country of forests and furs and each year fur merchants from many parts of the world come here to buy the pelts from Canada's minks and muskrats and foxes and beaver.

Most Canadian furs are sold in a very peculiar way. Instead of a trapper taking his furs to a fur store and selling them to the owner, many trappers and owners of fur ranches send their furs to warehouses that are owned by fur auction companies. The people in the warehouse sort all the furs and put those of a kind together in bundles or lots. Then three or four times a year they have a fur auction sale and the buyers come to their warehouses to bid for the furs.

When the sale is being held the furs are not seen in sight. Each lot has a number and when that number is called the bidding begins. Buyers do not call out their bids, as they do at an ordinary auction sale but they make them by secret signs to the auctioneer, so that the other buyers will not know who is getting the furs. Sometimes a buyer will put his fingers to his chin, or touch his nose or slowly close one eye and the auctioneer or his assistants will be watching and know that he has made his bid.

Today, fur auctions are held in Montreal, Winnipeg, Edmonton and Vancouver, but the first Canadian fur auction was held almost 300 years ago in London. A notice was posted up in a London street with the following announcement: "On the fifth day of December, 1687, there will be sold, in the Greate Hall of this Place, 3,000 wrasts of beaver skins comprised in 30 lots belonging to the Honorable, the Governor and Company of Merchant Adventurers Trading into Hudson Bay."

The Greate Hall was in Garraway's Coffee House and the sale that was held there was the first Canadian fur auction. The buyers were fops and dandies and well-to-do merchants who were bidding for beaver skins with which to make their hats.

Elephants On Railway

Robert Stimson, the BBC's correspondent in South Africa, gave some amusing statistics in a recent issue of "Radio News Reel," when he summarized the annual report of the East African railroads. These railroads suffer from natural hazards that do not affect such long-established concerns as British railways, and a footnote to the report records that last year one hundred and twenty animals were run over by trains, the casualties including twenty-one giraffes and an elephant. Nearly every week in Stimson discovered animals interfere with railway traffic. The trouble is worst in very dry weather, for elephants and lions smell the water used for filling up the engines and come down to the line to try to get it. Africans play a large part in the running of the railway and their reports contain such phrases as: "One elephant knocked by engine while crossing line. Elephant sitting in front of engine smoke box bent and main pipe broken." Another African states that lions hanging about the line made working difficult on one occasion so many came that it was impossible to man the points as they were lying on them. A signal would not work because a snake had wound itself round the post and seized up the mechanism and a rhinoceros sprawled on the line and caused "some slight inconvenience."

Stimson's favorite report came from the intrepid African stationmaster who saw four lions romping about on his lonely little platform and telegraphed to Mairobi: "Four lions on platform. Send one rifle and four rounds of ammunition."

THE earliest use of aerial mail was the "ballons monte" which was used during the siege of Paris in 1871. The first balloon flight was scheduled to take place on September 31, 1871, when the balloon L'Union failed to function and another balloon replaced it Le Neptune, the navigator being Jules Duruof which made a safe landing at Craconville, a distance from Paris of 104 kilometers, in 3 hours and 15 minutes. But it was not until 1897 that stamps were issued for airmail use. These were the Great Barrier Pigeongram Service between Auckland, New Zealand, and the mining settlement on the Great Barrier Island 85 miles distant.

In the absence of other modes of transmission, this service was in effect from 1897 to 1908, when a cable was laid underneath, connecting the two points. You will not, for some reason, find these stamps listed in the Scott catalogue, though there is no question as to their validity. They are by no means common and are particularly rare on the original covers. Messages were written on thin sheets of tissue and conveyed by carrier pigeons in either direction at a uniform rate of 1/- per minute. The service was extended subsequently to Maroiti (Hen and Chicken Islands), where some copper mines were being developed, for which purpose the original stamp was overprinted until such time as a separate stamp could be designed for Maroiti. These latter are very rare, only 2,000 stamplets being printed and these were not put into use until just prior to the installment of the submarine cable. A rival company styled the Great Barrier Pigeongram Agency came on the scene in 1899 also and issued attractive stamps in a triangular shape.

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The original type was issued in November, 1898, and was perforated 12½ and printed by lithography. Only 1,800 of these were printed and but 300 examples actually did postal duty. The first printing was in miniature sheets of four later increased to sheets of 16. The second issue took place in January, 1899 and was surface printed by The New Zealand Herald, at Auckland, and consisted of sheets of 24 perforated 12½ and 400 copies were printed in a shade of greenish blue. Exception being taken by the New Zealand postal authorities to the use of the word "Post" as an infringement of their monopoly, a third small printing of these stamps took place in May, 1899 consisting of 960 stamps, the word "Post" being replaced by the word "Pigeongram." These are very scarce in used condition. Further printings took place in various formats in July, 1899, and the Maroiti service in September of that year, also again in October of that year. The triangular stamps appeared in July, 1899, and were designed by Mr. Wiggs, of Auckland and printed by The Auckland Star by a lithographic process in sheets of 30. Two values were issued on this occasion, a 6d blue (10,000) and a 1/- carmine (3,000). These latter are not uncommon and command a price of about $7.50 each. In all, there were eight different issues and the service was finally suspended on Dominion Day, September 26, 1908.

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Brass Brigade

Colonist Photo by Jim Kew

Hundred-Mile House

By L. G. TEMPLE

Historic Spot on the Cariboo Highway

A PAVED SECTION of the Cariboo Highway with 100-Mile House in the distance

THERE is a hamlet in the Interior of British Columbia that is older than Vancouver by 30 years. In fact, there was a stopping place or hotel built on the site in 1862 by Thomas M. Miller, who had obtained a Crown grant to 160 acres the previous year. At that time it was known as Little Bridge Creek. Afterwards it became a 100-Mile House, due to the fact that it was 100 miles up the Cariboo Trail from Lillooet. The original hotel built in 1862 stood until destroyed by fire in 1877, and was a good example of pioneer architecture. Its outstanding feature was a story and a half high, the ground floor containing the bar, an indispensable adjunct to any hostelry catering to the hard-cheered pioneers of the early days, with a loft for sleeping accommodation above it. This was later divided into cubicles and two conservatory wings were added, one on each side.

HOTEL MADE MONEY

Like most enterprises catering to a gold-seeking, predominantly male office it always made money. By 1874, when the first edition of "The Victoria Directory and British Columbia Gazetteer" was issued, the "hotel" had changed hands, belonging to Nelson and Charters. A store had also been erected and was run by H. Carter, and a telegraph office established. In 1877 the population had reached six, at which point it remained static for some time. Apparently the hotel was always known as "100-Mile House," and gradually the hamlet's name, shortened to Bridge Creek by this time, fell into disuse, the place becoming known by the name of the hotel.

MODES OF TRAVEL

In those days a good deal of traffic went over the Cariboo Trail in the undulating of the upper Chilcotin Pack trains of mules, horses, and for a while even camels; great freight wagons, something like the "prairie schooners" of the Plains, but heavier, and drawn by ten or 12 pairs of oxen or spans of mules. Concord stagecoaches, smart with their yellow and black panning gear and white canvas tops, which, with from four to six fast horses, were able to cover the 385 miles of dusty road between Yale and Barkerville in four days. All stopped at 100-Mile, either for a meal or the night. The hotel must have been a better gold mine than most of the diggings further north!

RANCHERS COME

As the traffic on the diggings fell off, the surrounding area began to be settled with ranchers, which kept trade coming into the place. Instead of miners and prospectors, ranchers appeared, and more stock saddles than pack saddles were to be seen on the porches standing nearly at the hitching rails in front of the buildings beside the trail. The stage coaches, of course, continued to make their regular trips, though at greater intervals, for the Cariboo Trail was still the main artery of commerce with Northern British Columbia and this it remained until the railroad reached Prince George from Edmonton. Just before the way of 1914, the pioneer Concord coaches made their final trip over the historic route and 100-Mile was to see them no more. They were replaced by motor cars, and the dust-coated, begoggled chauffeurs took the place of the blue-jeaned stage driver at the table dining table.

AN ENGLISH FREE

In 1912 the site of the hotel and, as well as some 14,000 acres of the surrounding country, was purchased by the Marquis of Exeter and the former baron of miners and cowboys became the property of an English lord. It is now owned by William Martyn Alleyne Cecil, once a subbenteenth in the Royal Navy, but now a prominent Cariboo rancher, known over the British Columbia cattle country as Lord Martyn Cecil. A new lodge was built in 1930-31, with all the modern improvements in a picturesque log building, the lounge being reminiscent of the bar parlor of an old-fashioned English pub. However, no alcoholic beverages are to be had, which probably makes this a rather customers of pub bar turn over in their graves.

The ranch run by Lord Martyn now includes the old Highland Ranch, built up by Lord Egerton of Tatton, now some 37,000 acres. The estate, which he administers (this includes almost 50,000 acres of ranch land—containing stock in boundaries some 30 miles and half a dozen streams as well as the handles of 100-Mile, which, of course, he owns lock, stock and barrel. Besides the lodge there is a general store and post office where you can buy anything from a one-cent stamp to a stock saddle at $150, plus sales tax; a garage and service station, and a lunch-room which caters to the tourists trade.

POPULAR SPOT

In the heart of the dude ranch country can showing horses from all parts of the continent pass through or stop for a long or short night stay at this famous way station on the historic road. Now that the highway is being kept much in Clinton, and will soon be hard-surfaced all the way from Vancouver, Lord Martyn's privately-owned village probably gets more business than it did in the gold rush days. And think of owning the ground your hometown, as it were, is built on! You could pay your taxes with the rent from your tenants. In fact, you could institute a system of paying taxes to yourself, or could you? Anyway, it's a nice dream.

"Comic" Book Goes Atomic

By WILLIAM PLANNERY

Hey, kids, let's build a model of a nuclear reactor.

It's as easy as rolling off a log if you follow the simple instructions in a new "comic book" published by W. Hinghouse.

The book, called "How It Works," explains atomic energy, jet propulsion, television and dozens of other up-to-the-minute developments.

It is all done in the Buck Rogers cartoon style, understandable to any 10-year-old boy or girl, and was prepared for use as a teaching aid in science classes in junior and senior high schools throughout the nation.

The book shows how to build a toy jet automobile, how to build a nail transformer, how to make a paper-clip electric motor, how to make a radio out of an old razor blade and a safety pin and some copper wire, and also presents an explanation of what makes television tick.

The whole thing is far cry from the unsophisticated scientific facts such as "the sun is 93,000,000 miles away from earth" that we tried to master in tenth grade science—way back in the pre-atomic age.

THIS WEEK'S COVER

When H.M.C.S. Ontario sails tomorrow for "Down Under—everything that can gleam will gleam and everything that can be scrubbed has been scrubbed. This week's cover shows A.B. John Jurvan (left) and A.B. Fred McIntosh apply elbow action and a little emery cloth to brighten the muzzle of one of the 4.7's.

Sitting on the Fence

By NATHANIEL GUBBINS

"When I was 20 I wondered why girls were interested only in men, films and clothes. Now I am 30, despite intellectual abilities and love of beauty I am completely alone."—Letter to an editor.

ASKED him what he thought of Brahms.
He said "I couldn't say."
Asked him what his interests were:
His favorite poem, play?
Asked him what his reading was
Good fiction? Economics?
He said he liked Wild Western tales
And picture paper comics.

I took him to a concert once
A symphony in F
He wriggled on his seat and coughed
And said it made him deaf.
I dragged him to the opera, too.
But when the tenor sang
He said "What's this? A comic turn?
"Why"not the Crazy Gang?"

I walked him in the country lanes
To smell the sweet wild flowers.
Of birds and beasts and herbs and trees
I talked for hours and hours.
He clasped my waist and kissed my hair
And called me names most dear
I said "I'm not that kind of girl."
He said "Let's have a beer."

The girl he married has no brains
She's never heard of Brahms
But she has "oomph" and she has "it"
And she has rounded arms.
Her empty head is adorned gold
Her rounded arms are filled
With all the lives this clever girl
With empty arms has killed.

WELL PLAYED, SIR

According to a correspondent in a local paper, there is still among us a tired band of the faithful convinced that if only foreigners would play cricket, the menace of war would disappear from the world for ever.

Let us assume for a moment that the Russians have taken up cricket.

They want to learn more about the game, so they have kidnapped an English cricketer, handsome Jack Carraway, Oxford and England all-rounder, who has now escaped and is giving evidence before an astonished committee of the M.C.C.

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What happened, old man?

Oh, the usual questioning. They wanted to know if I believed in the dialectic Part and if my father was a capitalist.

Deadpan impudence. What did you say?

I said I didn't know anything about the dialectic Part, but that my father, Lord Carraway, was a brutal millionaire, owning hundreds of black slaves.

Did they swallow it?

Hook, line, and sinker.

Good—a. What else?

They wanted to know what a hat-trick was. I told them when a team had lost a match, ten numbers and one black score shuffled in a hat. The member of the losing team who drew the black was then shot before a howling mob of bloodthirsty aristocrats.

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That's the stuff to give 'em Co on.

I told them a leg break was when you broke a batsman's leg with an iron ball.

Splendid.

I said a good-length ball was one pitched on a mine land overnight by an under-privileged and starving groundman. The things get richer beautifully.

Beauty, Carraway?

They thought a maiden over was a sort of crocheter's sweetheart. Over to you, so to speak. So they tried to bribe me to play for the Moscow Dynamites.

What sort of bribe, Carraway?

Well, they offered me all the wine I wanted and all the . . . well, all the . . .

What, Carraway?

All the girls I wanted.

Good heavens, Carraway. You refused, of course?

Naturally. Russian wine is even worse than the beer in the pavilion.

IT'S YOUR MONEY THEY'RE AFTER

The Chancellor of the Exchequer has announced the issue of new Savings Certificates at 4s each. They will be worth £1 3d in ten years' time.

After Kipling's "The Flowers"

Buy my new certificates
Only Fourteen Bob
Tax free interest 3 per cent,
Bless me, they're the job.
If in ten years' time from now
You've survived the Big
Threepence over twenty bob
All for lucky you.

Cantankel, from his counting house,
Whistles "Lend to me
Money for new battleships
"Warships going to sea."
When you've paid your income tax
See what you've put by
Have no doubt, draw it out
And kiss your dough good-bye

Buy my new certificates
You who will not turn,
Squeeze another fifteen bob
Little though you earn;
After paying purchase tax
Feeling you've been done
Threepence over twenty bob
In nineteen-forty-one

Buy my certificates
Inflation's getting high,
Soon there'll be in empty shops
Nothing else to buy.
Save it up for Mr
Mother in the grave
Free and threepence profit then
All for lucky you.

—London Express Service

JOSEPHINE

"GEE, I LIKE your new collar suit"
"Did a tattoo come with it?"

Old Homes and Families

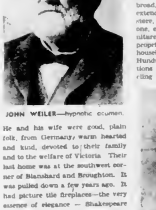
By Jim Nesbitt

"IT came from Weller's." In pioneer days in Victoria—and indeed until a few years ago—that was the last word to denote excellence and smartness.

Brides of those days counted up how many presents came from Weller's and always set them apart.

It was something like saying "It came from Tiffany's—New York, you know."

This famous firm, now gone, was founded here in 1862 by John Weller.



JOHN WELLER—hyperbolic encomium.

He and his wife were good, plain folk, from Germany, warm hearted and kind, devoted to their family and to the welfare of Victoria. Their last home was at the southwest corner of Blanshard and Broughton. It was pulled down a few years ago. It had picture tile fireplaces—the very essence of elegance — Shakespeare tiles, imported to order from the various plays of the great bard. Its hall windows were blue and red and amber—never elegant feature. It made the hall gloomy, but it was the style of the times—like glass bricks today.

TO CALIFORNIA

Mr Weller was born at Mayence, Hess-Darmstadt, Germany, August 24, 1824, and went to California in the gold rush. There he remained for ten years, devoting himself to ranching and mining. Mrs. Weller, also born in Germany, went to the Eastern United States and then to California, where she met her future husband. They were married in San Francisco and came north to Victoria in 1861.

Mr Weller's first business venture was with a Mr. Stemler. They formed a partnership, Stemler and Weller, and later the latter started in the furniture business.

In 1882 the Weller business was on Fort Street. The Colonist of August 11 1882, had this to say: "The large and well-stocked establishment of Mr John Weller on Fort Street is well known to those interested in household requisites, which are to be found here in the greatest variety, from the smallest ornamental article up to the substantial necessaries for household use, but in the first place we must refer more particularly to the industrial department of Mr. Weller's business.

CABINET MAKING

"In addition to the extensive premises on Fort Street, Mr Weller has a cabinet maker's shop on Broughton Street, 60 by 24 feet, where furniture of various kinds is made and put together, from the cheapest varieties to those of a more costly and ornate description. The manufactured articles are next taken to the upholstering or varnishing rooms, where they are upholstered, oil polished or varnished. Here, also spring mattresses are made.

"The showroom on the same flat is a fine room, 30 feet long by 70 feet broad, at the front of the building, extending not only over Mr Weller's store, but also over the adjoining one, exhibiting a wilderness of furniture patiently waiting to be appropriated and fall into line in new households or rejuvenate old ones. Hundreds of the commoner descriptions of chairs and lighter articles cling to the ceiling, dreams of bedsteads form close column and occupy end corners, and a perfect cab-stand of perambulators at one end of the room speaks hopefully of the future prosperous settlement of the province.

AND HIGH STOOLS

"Then there is the office furniture —high stools and low stools, rare and hardwood—varnished desks, bookcases. Lastly, the grand furniture which the status of the family is solemnly committed — highly upholstered chairs, easy chairs and lounges, in mahogany carved and oiled black walnut, with marble-topped centre tables, and bedroom sets of similar finish and material all waiting to be secured by the respectable householder who has $150 or $200 to spare, but even $1,000 can very easily get rid of in the furniture line.

"The store below is devoted to ornamental and useful household accessories, such as glass and crockery-ware, cutlery and lamps and chandeliers. Of chandeliers there is a fine display hanging in dissers from the ceiling, from the plaster descriptions up to the more elaborate, ranging between $30 and $40. Then there are lamps and mantel ornaments, plated ware and small odds and ends of culinary apparatus down to the latest improved nutmeg grater. In the rear of the store is an extensive stock of wallpapers, carpets, oil cloth, linoleums, Indian matting and coconut matting. Mr Weller imports directly from England and the East — crockery and glassware from Pittsburgh, Philadelphia and New York, cutlery and crockery from England, wallpaper from England and the States, and from the later country also lamps and chandeliers. Twelve men are usually employed

Mr and Mrs Weller had their services as well as their joys in this new land. Death came to their house in May of 1882, as noted in the Colonist: "In this city — Anna Weller, aged three months, daughter of John and Christina Weller. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from Fort Street, near Pembertson, at 3 o'clock this day."

A WEDDING

And, in the late 80's came a wedding at the same home on Blanshard, November 7, 1889: "At the residence of Mr John Weller last evening, Mr Charles Wilson was married the ceremony of unities in marriage Mr H. Hanson, of Victoria, and Mr. Emma Weller. The marriage over, the wedding was commencing about a dozen friends sat down to a wedding lunch, after which the bride lounged, in elaborate style at the Oriental for their new home in the Beacon Hill Park. Mr Hanson is proprietor of a leading restaurant in Seattle and was at one time associated in business with Mons. Marlboeuf, of the Poodle Dog in Victoria. Both the bride and groom have the warm congratulations of Victoria friends."

So prosperous was Mr Weller's business that in 1886 he was able to expand again. The Colonist said:

Mr John Weller's new Brick factory at the rear of his store on Fort Street extends back 140 feet on Broad Street and 30 feet on Broughton Street, and is three stories high, commenced by a tin roof. It was commenced on November 15 and finished towards the end of January. The architect was Mr. Thomas, contractor for brick work Mr Humber carpentry work for Mr Northcote painting, Mr. Eli Perrow plumbing, Clarke and Nicholson. The number of men employed is 17 and during the summer the number probably will be increased to 27.

IN RETIREMENT

When in 1891 Mr Weller decided to retire and enjoy his leisure years in his garden and walking in the park and talking to old friends on street corners, The Colonist made mention of the fact. The announcement made this morning of the retirement from business of Mr John Weller who has by industry, energy and square dealing built up one of the largest manufacturing and importing establishments in British Columbia. He is to be succeeded by his four sons, George, Charles, Otto and Joseph, who have grown up in the business and are all practical, popular, pushing and industrious young men. Earth has a great deal departments in his charge and thoroughly understands that department, and it is a certainty that the new firm will not only retain all the patronage held by their father but add to it by their own energy and sound business ability."

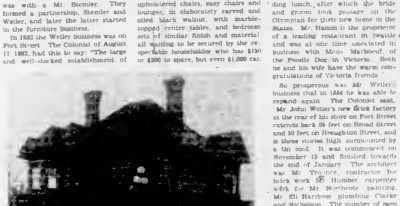
Mr Weller had nearly ten years in retirement. He saw the business he founded so humbly begun under his sons' management. He lived in the background, giving advice to his sons, encouraging them, giving increasingly proud of them.

When he died in September, of 1899 The Colonist said: "Father an active and honorable citizen, memorable from the history of the commercial life of Victoria. Mr John Weller—passed away — at his home on Blanshard Street at the advanced age of 75 years. He had not for some years since from the activities of business, and during the past part of six months past has been tortured by a complication of diseases which medical science was helpless to stay or relieve. Surviving him the deceased leaves a widow and four sons. It was in the possession of such sons —for few fathers even had better cause to be proud of their sons and their successes—that John Mr Weller's declining years were made content, despite the heavy hand of pain.

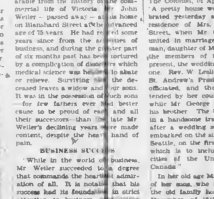
BUSINESS SUCCESS

While in the world of business, Mr Weller succeeded to a degree that commands the heartiest admiration of all. His success in business had its foundation in strict attention to business, and unremitting watching of the demands of the time, unbroken industry and never-failing good nature as much as in that almost hypnotic commercial acumen for which in earlier days he was noted among his fellows. In private life he was a man of large benevolence, quiet and unostentatious friendships, and ever-ruling love of home and home attachments. His lifetime was devoted to his family, his business and his deeds of unbelieved charity."

GEORGE AND OTTO WELLER—practical, popular, pushing.



THE JOHN WELLER HOME on Blanshard—there were Shakespeare tiles.



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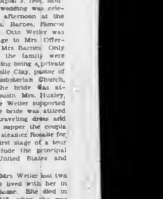
MRS. JOHN WELLER—sitting constitution.

There was another wedding in the Weller family in 1901. Mr. Weller was a very old lady then, but she attended to see her son married. The Colonist, of April 3, 1901, said: "A pretty house wedding was celebrated yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Barnes, Rupert Street, when Mr. Otto Weller was united in marriage to Mrs. Offerhaus, daughter of Mrs Barnes. Only the members of the family were present, the wedding being a private one. Rev. W. Leaf Clay, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, officiated, and the bride was attended by her cousin Mrs. Huxley, while Mr George Weller supported his brother. The bride was attired in a handsome traveling dress and after a wedding supper the couple embarked on the steamer Rosalie for Seattle, on the first stage of a tour which is to include the principal cities of the United States and Canada."

In late old age Mrs. Weller lost her son, Mr. Otto, who died with her in the old family home. She died in December of 1917, when she was nearly 82 and The Colonist noted: "Time had been kind to her many months and death was not unexpected, although a remarkable vigour and constitution buoyed her up until the last. It was some years since she had the courage to attend for amputation of one of her feet, and since that time had been confined to her home, although her interest in public affairs never waned. In the early days Mrs Weller was a prominent figure in the city's social life."



Colonist Photo

THE OTTO WELLER HOME facing Beacon Hill Park on Douglas street—it was built for a bride in 1901.

Mrs J. C. Thompson,
2345 Sunnyside Lane,
Victoria, B.C.

DUE SALE MARCH 1 AND 2

Dear Mrs. Thompson:
Thank you for your letter of Feb. 26.
Our Annual Sale will be held next Thursday and Friday in our showroom.
This sale will be a great many interesting items some of which are item enclosed.
Article is described on today's Auction Page
Yours truly,
MAYNARD & SONS,
Auction Department

Overhead Irrigation as Applied on Island's Farms

Tests Being Conducted With Spraying System

By ALFRED CARMICHAEL

IRRIGATION that is the watering of land by artificial means to make it productive, was used in the earliest times in the Far East, in Babylonia and in Egypt dating in the last-named country twenty centuries before Christ.

In our times the systems in India and Egypt are probably the best organized, both largely under Government control.

Irrigation was practised in historic times by the town-building Pueblo Indians inhabiting portions of Mexico and Arizona. The descendants of these Indians and the early Missions in southern California practised irrigation.

In America the first systematic application of irrigation in the arid West by English-speaking people was made by the Mormons on the shores of the Great Salt Lake where they turned the waters of the little canyon streams upon the ground where Salt Lake City now stands. In California about the same time as the Mormons were settling Utah, the placer miners were using water from their ditches for irrigation.

THREE METHODS

Until comparatively recently water was supplied to the irrigated field by three ways—by flooding, by furrows and by sub-irrigation.

Flooding is done by the check system and by wild flooding. By the latter process the irrigator turns the water from a ditch over a level field and completely submerge it.

Furrow irrigation was developed to take care of situations where flooding was impractical or too expensive. In furrow irrigation the irrigator applies the water to crops which are grown in furrows.

The furrows are placed in such a direction that the water when turned into them from the lateral ditches will flow freely down without washing away the soil. In California and in the orchard districts of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia a more systematic method is commonly employed. Water is carried to the furrows in a small box flume with openings on the side. These openings are closed by little shutters, a number of which can be opened at once permitting the certain quantity of water into each furrow.

Sub-irrigation in nature is a condition where water percolates freely beneath the ground for a considerable distance sufficiently near the surface to supply the need of the crops. To simulate nature in an economic manner the process of which depends on favorable conditions of soil and subsoil, Sub-irrigation is too costly to be generally practised.

OVERHEAD IRRIGATION in operation September, 1950, on the farm of W. C. Woodward, Mount Newton Crossroad, Saanich.

BACK TO NATURE

Overhead or generally called "rainfall" is the best method of applying water to the crops in a manner as nearly as possible to that of natural rain. Overhead irrigation has strong advantages over flooding and furrow irrigation. Some of these advantages can be listed briefly as follows:

Should the quantity of water be small in comparison with the total area to be irrigated, overhead irrigation makes better use of the quantity available. If the soil be porous this water is lost through seepage. If there are steep slopes or where the land is uneven or should there be impermeable layers near the surface of the land, which would result in water logging by use of flooding or furrow irrigation, overhead irrigation is preferable. By use of overhead irrigation, no valuable land is taken up with ditches, no preparation of the ground is necessary, no great infrequent at the top of the soil, therefore, access of air to the roots of plants is not interrupted. Liquid fertilizers can be easily and automatically mixed with the water and distributed over the fields.

MOISTURE LEVELS

The uniformed might question the value of irrigation of any kind in the farms, berry vegetable and flower growers of Vancouver Island; not as the man on the land, he knows how vital adequate moisture is to the growing and maturing of crops, and he knows from experience that only occasionally is there adequate rainfall for this purpose. In general practice it is found that the approximate precipitation required each month throughout the growing season is up to 4.12 inches, depending on the holding capacity of various soils. From precipitation records compiled at the Cowichan observatory and kindly made available by W. Burton, director, the monthly rainfall in the farming districts from the Cowichan Valley to Sooke is inadequate.

The average rainfall in Sooke for the past 38 years has been 1.47 inches in May, 1.28 inches for June, 64 inch for July and .74 inch for August. The average at Saanich has and this pretty well applies to most of the peninsula for the past 26 years, 1.61 inches in May, 1.12 inches in June, 0.88 inch in July and .94 inch in August.

The records for the Duncan area show a little higher precipitation. The average for 22 years being 1.93 inches in May 1.31 inches in June, 0.81 inch in July and 0.81 inch in August. In the Cedar District near Nanaimo one of the fine farming areas on Vancouver Island, the record for the past 27 years indicates that the average annual rainfall for the month of May was 1.54 inches, 1.63 inches in June, 0.86 inch in July and 0.96 inch in August.

Further north at Parksville, where records have been kept for 33 years, the aim is to match the same, that in the Comox Valley the average monthly precipitation for the past 14 years indicates a somewhat greater Summer rainfall, the figures for the months of May, June, July and August being 1.82, 1.38, 1.68 and 1.46 inches respectively. Records have been kept in the Alberni Valley for 34 years and the average for the four months, May to August, inclusive, work out at 2.07, 2.18, 1.21 and 1.15 inches respectively.

It is therefore patent that irrigation where possible would benefit the producers in all the districts above mentioned.

MARKING TESTS

The dairy men, the berry growers and truck gardeners of Saanich and Cowichan are now irrigation conscious. Experiments are being carried out at the Dominion Experimental Station, Saanichton, to determine the value of sprinkler irrigation on strawberries, loganberries, raspberries, potatoes, cabbage and pasture crops. The results of the 1950 season are being tabulated and will shortly be available.

W. C. Woodward has equipped his farm "Woodwerm" on Mount Newton Crossroad Saanichton, with overhead irrigation and his manager, R. J. Promage, reports that during the four months of June to September, inclusive, of the past year, 6 acres of pasture land was provided, the dairy herd being fed practically no other food except a small allowance of concentrates.

The Saanich and Sooke strawberry growers and for that matter the raspberry and loganberry growers know that it takes perfect years to get one crop. The first year must be just right to get a good one then if the following year is dry they have lost the good row which developed the year before. It is little wonder that some producers in the Saanich area have created artificial ponds and filled them with the Winter run-off and are all set to give their plants an a good soaking when most required.

The first essential for overhead irrigation is water. A farmer who has a good-sized pond or whose lands adjoins a lake, river or creek or has a good spring is fortunate. Ponds of dugouts can be bulldozed out and filled with the Winter run-off. The size of the pond is hold the necessary quantity of water to provide the number of inches of artificial rain required can be easily calculated.

GARDEN CULTURE SERIES
Copyright Colonist 1951
by Harold Dobbertt A.I.A.

THE DAHLIA is among our most familiar Summer flowers. As with other plants like roses, gladiolus and peonies there is a National Society devoted to the promotion of Dahlias in Canada.

Dahlias are robust, reliable, rewarding, with minimum care, a wealth of blooms at a season when the rest of the garden is at the doldrums. Much has survey spot of ground that is reasonably well drained need be developed. Single Dahlias are identified by a single row of petals with yellow centres.

Mignon or Collarettes, plus Pompons grow about 18 inches high. Peony-Flowered Dahlias have pointed and curled petals around open centres. Decorative Dahlias have double symmetrical in outline. Lower Dahlias Dahlias all Summer. Flowers are about two inches diameter. Cactus Dahlias have fluted petals. Miniature Dahlias have flowers not over four inches in diameter. All varieties are suitable for shrub plant rings or for the perennial border.

Plant after months of May and June. Dig a hole about 30 inches deep. Place stakes about three feet apart. Add a little bone meal to the garden loam. Cut off bottom lateral shoots on early July leaving one shoot. Secondary lateral buds should be reduced in number. The result will be spasmodic formed blossoms up to eight inches in diameter. Do not water much in early stages of growth. In July and August post well at least once a week. Cultivate well up to mulch of August. Keep plants clean and healthy by spraying. Tie to stakes with hope when a foot high. Dig tubers after a killing frost. Dry for a day then store in a cool cellar packed in peat moss.

In Spring separate the tubers leaving a sort of the old stem bin each root. Sprouts grow from the crown, not the tuber. Keep manure away from the roots. Do not plant too early in the Spring. Handle with care to prevent bruising. If the tubers grown is broken the tuber is worthless.

Farm Notes

Late Vegetables Stored Up to January Frosts

(From notes compiled by the staff of the Victoria Experimental Station at Saanichton.)

HOW much damage did Winter vegetables suffer as a result of our recent cold snap? At the Experimental Station, where a minimum to date for the Winter of 18 degrees F was recorded on January 28 and 29, a preliminary assessment has been made. Spring cauliflower came through in fair shape, and while the plants appeared wilted for a day or two, they are now all standing up. As has been previously noted, smooth-leaved varieties have been more early leaved kinds. Curds of late cauliflower plants still unharvested which were exposed to the cold, were found to be those which were well protected by surrounding leaves are quite undamaged. Late varieties of Brussels sprouts which had a fair leaf coverage protecting the sprouts has not been picked, but early varieties are nearly all finished. Savoys still unharvested appear undamaged. Again the importance of good drainage for over-Wintering cabbages is evident, for where water has been lying, even the hardiest crops have suffered far more than on well-drained ground.

NITROGEN NEEDED

Nitrogen is absolutely necessary for the growth of all our fruit trees and is the most generally required element of all. Only the organic (peat) soils can a high state of fertility be maintained without frequent applications of nitrogen in some form or other. Since too much nitrogen at any one time is not a good thing, as it may be lost through leaching or bacterial action, it is not desirable to make heavy spasmodic applications. Hence the 1 to 1½ amounts applied annually are preferable. Sources of nitrogen are manure, any decomposed organic matter, sulphate of ammonia, ammonium nitrate, nitrate of soda and cyanamide. The aim should be to obtain 6 to 8 inches of annual terminal growth in one apple and pear tree, 6-12 inches in plums and cherries, and 12-24 inches in peach trees. A lack of water is the limiting factor then some relief can be obtained through surface mulches such as straw, hay, sawdust or through irrigation. In any case trees to produce satisfactorily must have a supply of new wood annually to replace worn out and broken spurs twigs and branches.

Chief Thunderbird

Wrestler, Showman, Publicist

By E. F. THORNLEY

BAPTISTE Thomas Paul, Chief Thunderbird, of Saanich, tour Britain and Europe on his last commitment before he retires from the ring, is the son of the late Tommy Paul and grandson of Ben Paul—noted chief of the peninsula's white pioneer days. For some years before Tommy's death, his son Baptiste had been internationally acclaimed as a wrestler, a career which took him for a while in charge of administration of his people's affairs and the Tsartlip Indians are under the able leadership of Joe Battiseaud, but Chief Thunderbird, through the colorful publicity he gives Vancouver Island throughout the world, acknowledges his inherent obligation to his people.

AS SHOWMAN

Wherever crowds gather to greet the Chief, his deep warm voice and twinkling eyes express for them his enthusiasm for all mankind. They also express Baptiste's radiant assumption that mankind shares his enthusiasm. This personal radiance of Thunderbird often causes him mild despair, for he claims that an air of forceness is part of his professional duty. In line with this self-imposed obligation, his beautiful "feathers" and ceremonial dress—complete with blanket and tomahawk for the ring—are a standard part of his wrestling tours. Para-

graphs in his publicity have stated that during the four months of June to September, inclusive, of the past year, 6 acres of pasture land was provided, the dairy herd being fed practically no other food except a small allowance of concentrates.

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Tips for Teens

By ELINOR WILLIAMS

I'M an unusual teener who doesn't have a problem or two in the date department . . . like this one from a high school girl: "I don't know. I have plenty of dates when I was younger, until I became engaged to a boy. We were engaged about a year. Then we called it off for good. That was a year ago and I haven't had a date since.

"The boys are interested at first, then they suddenly go for some other girl. What's wrong with me? I hope you can help me."

Answer: It's impossible to tell without knowing more about you. But sometimes it helps if a girl plans some fun herself instead of always waiting for a boy to come up with a bright date idea. Most boys think they can't spend a date unless they have plenty of folding money, so they wait until the day their elbow aces is due.

But a smart girl can fill an occasional Friday or Saturday night by planning a double date at home. Lots of boys like to play bridge or canasta; possibly one of your girl friends could invite a boy who will bring a friend. Ice cream is always an attraction . . . everybody loves ice cream.

Next time your girls' club or sorority has a dance or a party, invite a boy. Do you could celebrate your birthday or a holiday with a theatre party for a foursome—another girl and two boys. Let them know they'll be your guests, then get the tickets in advance and give them to one of the boys to present at the door of the theatre. Have a snack at your home afterward.

BOOK LEARNING

As in the matter of book learning, the review Paul regards his own decision to be a professional athlete, but once the step was taken he was the mainstream of Chief Thunderbird's aspirations. Baptiste recalls how for the first years of his father's life, his matches in Victoria were often a very personal affair to him, because, his father, with a weak heart, would vicariously endure all the stress of the contest from the ringside.

Education and sincere religious faith, he feels, should be a means to a fuller appointment and a great help in the agricultural life to which Saanich tribes are fitted by heritage. For several decades past, young Indians have been leaving Vancouver Island for day labor in mills and canneries but some the war some excellent agricultural tracts have been developed by ad up and conserving, preservation, and farm good houses are being built on the reserve. This is in line with the reserve which Chief Thunderbird feels is steadily, if slowly, but more progressive in the Redman's cultural as well as economic contributions to society. He observes that native peoples of other lands—notably Polynesian and Maori—are comparable in position to North American Indians, in that they have valuable skills and qualities for the enrichment of the civilization which can benefit all nations.

Harbor Lights

Person-to-Person Sketches of Men Who Serve on Ship and Shore in Victoria's Port

By RAY WORMALD

MANY are the changes since Jack M. Lindsay, Victoria and city's waterfront slope Jack M. Lindsay started his first job as a deckhand aboard the tugs Rita Moore and Tyrella—operated in lower British Columbia coastal waters by Vancouver Barge Transportation Ltd., a firm founded by his father—O. H. Lindsay—in 1923.

Today Jack is manager of the big tug-car firm's Victoria and Vancouver Island operations, a post he has held since late in 1943.

The two years he spent as a deckhand was only the beginning of his climb up the ladder of experience. After that initial training he business and general shipping knowledge by working a few years in the yards building field with the North Vancouver Ship Repairs firm—now Pacific Drydock Company. During the Building of the West Vancouver time there Jack took a part in Ferry Bannerdale.

Constantly eager to learn as much as possible about many phases of shipping, the young man left Ferry with Dominion Tow Boat Co. Ltd., that firm he operated a small tug in the marine insurance business. Here he signed picture, a promise to visit her during his leave ashore.

EARLY IN LIFE

Through the years that Chief Thunderbird has been making a vibrant splash of color his profession, Jack has been his Victoria Lens well known perhaps in his publicity-conscious Vancouver Island, during the position and aims of his people. For the Indian Chief, like his father, was opposed to formal education for the young of his tribe claiming that it was not a basic education, the keenest his descriptive instincts. Many years ago the young Saanich Indians of Baptiste's generation were educated solely emphatically to produce—especially in agricultural lines. Chief Thunderbird agrees with this latter tenet, recalling the well-stocked barns and roomy houses of his father's day, the barrels of fish taken and cured each year at Coldstream, Cowichan, and even as far away as the Fraser, by means of Indian ingenuity, the abundance of Indian grown, wood, fruit and hay. To forbid education he feels, however can never be right. As an example he cites his own case. At nine, immensely impressed by the English speech of an Indian youth who had been away at school Baptiste decided on the absence of his old-fashioned parent that that was for him and ran away to the Kuper Island School. His father, he says, thought something was wrong, sent him there on way the whole way in educating "a son."

PREFERRED SPORT

"I could hardly wait to go as far as I wanted then, but after the Cut-Island School in Washington, where I developed such an athletic record Chief Thunderbird's attainment of eight school letters for sport was once featured in a syndicated cartoon—made it just too big for my britches and quit too soon." His own children he encourages in their high school work. The academic accomplishments of his daughters and his son's sports activities at St. Louis College impress him.

Of athletic endeavor among boys he thinks, quite a lot, perhaps, more the time is not overdone. A promising young sportsman should learn early the importance of other breadth, but less athletic-type pursuits, also, and find sports a great aid in developing personal confidence. Thunderbird himself expresses a lively interest in the world in peaceful times which range through drawing and handicraft, making music in ear on a variety of instruments, and exercising active duties on reserve lands as well as his own. His garden is ornamental as well as useful, with evidence of a taste for work working. His early people and the dian customs were of his own were

JACK M. LINDSAY

manship, today they are usually of his designs, beautifully made up by his wife Bette and their daughters. One notable outfit of his personal artistry was worked in porcupine quills, of which sequined hunters made short work.

Shipyard after about two years to work in Vancouver. During his time with Dominion Tow Boat Co. Ltd., he entered the marine insurance business. Knowledge

War in 1939 and along with so many the Canadian Army—serving with the the fighting force he returned to the Captain John Campbell as local manager in January of this year he was appointed a director of the company.

Born in Victoria, Jack received from this city to Vancouver. He received his education first at Shawnigan Lake school and later at Vancouver.

Today, at 37 years of age, he is among the youngest shipping firm executives of the British Columbia Coast. He is the second son of the efficient wheel of the firm on Wharf Street, at the foot of Port Street; his brother, Kenneth, is in the firm's Vancouver fan-fan, and his daughter, Thelma, is Vancouver Barge Transportation as Vancouver-Courtenay Barge Rita Moore still operated, and Tyrella sub-chapters of the firm's one covered barge and one open

or tugs and eight covered barges which Victoria, Vancouver, Nanaimo, Gibson's Landing, Powell River, Westview, Port James Island and Campbell River.

The story of this great town firm is one of well-earned progress, and to ambitious Jack Lindsay, who the hard way.

Nesika Illahee (Our Land)

By FRANK KELLEY

"Land of brown heath and shaggy wood
Land of the mountain and the flood."
—Scott.

BRITISH Columbia has provided for a lady of solo—animate or otherwise—for my eyes since I reached its isle-dotted shoreline—partly by choice—as a lad.

At that time the farthest west province of Canada was just getting into its industrial stride. Lumbermen were taking advantage of the great forests of soft woods which clothed hillside and valley. Swaggering loggers made up the bulk of the passengers riding on board little coasting craft trafficking to logging camps, where bull and carbon drama, did the bulk of the log-hauling and a donkey engine was something of a novelty. At the same time canneries prospered, as they still do, at various points along the shoreline and near the Fraser River mouth, of which, during the fishing season, one could count hundreds of red and white-sailed fishing craft. Their white crews vied with few another in harvesting seafood, the achievement of the catch of "high-boat" for a day or a season being something worth boasting about in places where fishermen congregated during hours ashore.

THE SALMON RUN

Those were the days when the salmon shoved the upper reaches of the Fraser River as they crowded each other upstream in the wild urge to reach the spawning grounds; and when, without any great expenditure of leg-energy, reach a hill summit, vast stretches of timber could be seen in every direction.

Those were the days when machine-created men, many of vocal expression and imaginative eyes, exhibited are samples from the Kootenais wherever refreshment was congregated in the communities. There were no discriminations either. Men from all quarters of the globe rubbed shoulders in a spirit of comradeship that prevailed on the coast cities of Vancouver, New Westminster and Victoria, and in the interior, at points where a man originated were asked, "Drop what he was, and what he could do, mattered.

DISTANT HORIZONS

Call to the midst of all this surging of men on the go. It is no wonder my eyes were often turned in those adolescent days of mine towards the distant and purple-tinted hills of Alaska. Beyond that was terra incognita as far as I was concerned. But fancy nonetheless painted pictures of such vivid appeal it was only a matter of time before restless feet got the go-ahead signal and took me to the rolling heights where eye-filling panoramas would be spread out to the horizon, or into deep and quiet vales.

Besides its pleasanter attributes, solacing and scenic, this Vancouver Island possesses a wide variety of moods. While it can buck you up in the most exhilarating way with the sheer beauties of its perspectives, it can as surely gloom your soul when certain elements exhibit a cruel temper, which sometimes happens.

There is nothing grander to the sense of vision than the prospect revealed after emerging from a West Coast valley onto the height of land. Especially if you travel up such a valley as that through which the Bear River flows. There from the divide, spread out as far as you can see, majestic and westerly, stand mountain peak aside mountain peak all glistening in part with glacial ice, yet like jewels on their rugged sides.

Or without any exertion you can get your fill of loveliness on a high-door morning from the level of some island lake or inlet. Just after daybreak on such a morning, when the air is so more than flecked with broken bits of fleecy cloud and the timber-clothed ridges below the skyline savor of mysteries, you feel that a favored guest is a fleck of beauty you will remember for a long, long time.

RAGING ELEMENTS

Quite in contrast, you can be thrilled in an entirely different way. There is nothing so terrifying, on first acquaintance anyway, than an electric storm at its height among the bare peaks of Island mountains

BOOKS!

By W. T. GALT

Some libraries boast large collections of rare books; others are proud of their recorded music sections and others keep comprehensive files of films or manuscripts on tap.

In Halifax it's beer cartons. But Halifaxmen aren't boasting, they're just resigned.

The story of the Halifax Public Library and the beer cartons begins about this time last year when the library was given mounting orders from its aid directors and had to store its books somewhere while awaiting completion of the shiny, new Halifax Memorial Library which will probably open next month.

Mr Cameron tells how it happened in a mass item in the latest copy of The Canadian Library Association Bulletin.

"To date the history of the Halifax Memorial Library has revolved around beer cartons—old beer cartons, new beer cartons, sandy ones and sticky ones, used as refuse bins for hundreds of discarded books.

"There is not a brand of beer in Canada not represented in our collection."

"We began our close association with the brewing business on February 18 . . . Some 30,000 dirty, bedraggled and much-used volumes were packed into the ubiquitous beer cartons and sent to storage.

"Another 20,000 never books were packed into other cartons and moved with three staff members to two small rooms, somewhat startingly labelled, 'The Morgue,' in an adjacent army building.

"There the tiny staff labored to catalogue their stock before the library's grand opening.

"With a population of 100,000 which has been waiting for years for their new library, the staff is slightly hesitant about opening before they get at least 25,000 to least. The thought keeps them busily busy with preparations.

"Dreams of rows of neat steel shelving, beautiful new desks, and rooms to move your up on, will, the librarian from the ancient Halifax barracks. "But in the meantime our most useful item of library equipment is the beer carton."

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The high price of wool is playing hob with at least one woman's reading habits, a friend reports.

According to the report, the woman mastered the art of knitting and reading at the same time. Finally it became a habit, and now the just cannot read unless she can knit at the same time.

What with the rocketing price of wool, she says, she is finding reading is becoming a more and more luxury.

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Bennett Cerf contributes this Frances Bodman anecdote about Ernest Hemingway in his Saturday Review of Literature column:

Hemingway was working on his novel, "Across the River and into the Trees," on the terraces of a small hotel not far from Venice.

A couple of tourists appeared on the scene, talking loudly, and the proprietor hastened to whisper to them, "Quiet! Don't you recognize that man there is Ernest Hemingway?"

"No!" exclaimed one horrified "What's he doing here in Italy?"

"Finishing a novel," declared the proprietor.

"How nice for him," enthused the tourists. "What's he reading?"

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"The Wall," by John Hersey continued its reminder of awards recently when it took the Author Meets the Critics award for 1950.

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The late James Forrestal's diaries won't be published in March as scheduled. The New York Times reports, adding: "The deteriorating international situation has made them a security risk."

ATOMIC BOMBS that set off such blasts as the one pictured above on Bikini are reduced to the status of Triggers for super hydrogen bombs in William L. Laurence's "The Hell Bomb".

Bomb Could Wipe Out Mankind

"The Hell Bomb," by William L. Laurence (McClelland & Stewart, $3.75).

Professor Leo Szilard, one of the chief architects of the atomic bomb, has estimated that 400 one-hundred hydrogen bombs would release enough radioactivity to extinguish all life on earth.

So far no scientist has disagreed with him.

William L. Laurence feels that because this is one of the greatest problems facing mankind, that democratic people should know as much about it as possible if they are to come to grips with the problem effectively.

This book gives as far as any published in clarifying where the United States stands in its progress with the super weapon, but the author feels that the public should be given all of the facts.

RUSSIA AHEAD

The confession of Klaus Fuchs that he not only gave Russia the most intimate details about the atomic bombs but also all that the United States knew about the hydrogen bomb, means that Russia has been working on the lethal bomber for five years, Mr Laurence states.

During that time the United States had done no work on the hydrogen bomb and it was not until three days after news of Fuchs's confession that President Truman ordered work to continue.

This book suggests that possibly places the United States in the position of having to catch up to Russia in development of the weapon.

MAIN TASK

In explaining the problems scientists face in constructing a hydrogen bomb, Laurence declares that the main one would be igniting the deuterium (heavy hydrogen) or tritium (very heavy hydrogen).

The only trigger or "match" that could generate the heat needed for such a bomb is the atomic bomb, which in this book about the Hell-bomb seems almost pixy!

But scientists must find ways either to make bigger and better atomic bombs, or to make the heavy hydrogen more easily kindled before they find the solution to the manufacture of the new super bomb.

Mr Laurence is strongly against any unilateral United States guarantee that she will not use the hydrogen bomb unless it is first used against her.

TACTICAL USE

He points out that the chief use of the bomb would be to obliterate huge enemy troop concentrations, killing all troops within a 20-mile area, for example, and would be the equalizer to Russia's great armed force—numerical superiority in war.

A no-bomb guarantee would be a signal for Russia to march through Europe, he declares.

But he does favor a guarantee against using "tipped" hydrogen bombs, which would lower lethal radioactive clouds and kill whole populations, and favors a promise not to bomb cities, which, he declares, would be unnecessarily even with ordinary bombs, if the armaments cities could be wiped out.

This book includes a "Primer of Atomic Energy" and answers to some important questions about atomic energy and its control.

Probably no one is better qualified to write this book than Mr Laurence. He was a winner of Pulitzer prizes for his explanations of complex and important scientific phenomena in layman.

No doubt many physicists know more about the atomic and hydrogen bombs. But only Mr Laurence can write about them so that everyone can understand what they are about.—W.T.G.

Prize Detective Stories Thrilling, Chilling, Funny

"The Queen's Awards," edited by Ellery Queen (McClelland & Stewart, $1.75).

Practically every variety of horror, murder, blackmail and all other imaginable and unimaginable crimes are represented here in 13 short stories which are almost without exception, guaranteed to thrill and chill the whodunit fan.

The combined catastrophes are prize winners in the annual Ellery Queen detective story contest and exploding one only are uniformly excellent and plausible. Paradoxically, the short story judged by the editors to be the best, seems, in the reviewer's opinion, the only mediocre link in the chain.

Most of the award-winning authors are already nationally known but include John Dickson Carr, Wilbur Daniel Steele and A. H. Z. Carr.

Mr Carr's story about the trial of a man who claimed divine direction when he killed a famous man lecturing in support of atheism, is particularly important.

Another bell ringer is Q. Patrick's gripping account of the paralyzing hold a glittering Italian urchin held over the will of an American. There's a spark of comedy here and there, too.

All in all, this crime anthology is splendid fireside reading for the couch-bedridden.—M.D.G.

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New Book May Help Alcoholics

"You Can Stop Drinking," by Harold Sherman (McClelland & Stewart, $3).

When a problem drinker finally confesses to himself that he has become an alcoholic, he has taken the first flickering step toward escape from his problem. Until then, neither family, doctor nor psychiatrist can help him, because he himself probably doesn't want to be helped.

This is the thesis of author Sherman, who goes on to outline the subsequent steps, as found most successful by Alcoholics Anonymous, toward self victory in the "battle of the bottle." Basic precepts are "know yourself" and "always be honest with yourself."

FIGHT ALONE

"You must make the fight to give up drinking for yourself alone," firmly adds Mr Sherman. "If you attempt to quit drinking for someone else or some other thing in life, your effort will almost invariably lead to failure. Eventually the feeling of martyrdom will rise in you and put you on the alert for loopholes to return to the bottle."

Mr Sherman does not make the mistake common to most panaceas-offerers of dealing in vague generalities. He promptly gets down to cases and outlines the most common causes for habit-forming drinks for both men and women and, again, the most usual reasons why self-reformed alcoholics lie habitually. On occasion does he speak with complacency, perhaps, in one chapter directed to families of alcoholics.

UNCONVINCING

But the author's stand on the educational social drink" for reformed and reforming alcoholics is unconvincing. Experience has shown, he says, that the alcoholic no matter how long he has been recovered, can never stop at one drink, and is always just one drink away from a drunk.

But, he warns, can the reforming alcoholic set himself a time-limit of non-drinking? If he does, he will find himself watching the calendar with interest and thinking of the drink he will have when the six months, one year, or even five-year campaign is successfully completed? Instead, the alcoholic must carefully inch his way from drinking day to drinkless day for the rest of his life.

SUCCESS PRAISED

The success of Alcoholics Anonymous is praised highly by Mr Sherman, and this book appears to follow A. A. philosophy so closely that it may well be used as a handbook.

"You Can Stop Drinking" treats alcoholism neither idealistically nor pictorially, but instead with sympathetic insight mixed with an equal part of inoffensive "straight from the shoulder" talk.

The self-confessed alcoholic may find that it will light the way to escape.—M.D.G.

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"The 1951 World Almanac," edited by Harry Hansen (New York World Telegram and Sun, $1.50).

June 28, 1950, will rank as one of the crucial days in the American history, according to The World Almanac for 1951. On that day North Korea invaded the Republic of Korea.

As in the 66 previous yearly editions, the World Almanac makes a comprehensive economic, political and cultural survey of the United States, examines issue foreign situations in all parts of the globe, and crams thousands of other matters into this handy volume which prints official information so concisely that it is put to daily use by Government departments, schools, universities and newspapers all over North America.

As in former years, the book gives a complete record of sports events. This section provides not only a full record of 1950 events in baseball, football, track, tennis, boxing, swimming, horse racing, golf and all other categories, but gives also the records of individual players and teams in former years.

A new table shows amounts wagered and the income derived from such wagers in various states.

Included also are political sketches in British and Australia, accounts of boom times in business and industry and of progress by labor. The book is indispensable to anyone who needs quick access to official facts.

Women's Work

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By HELEN HALE

IT'S easy to collect food bits that accumulate in the sink during preparation. Now if you just brush them with a small whisk broom and sift them out with paper towels into garbage container.

Keep a sponge and some dry cleaner handy in your cleaning basket. After you've finished doing the upholstered glider with a vacuum cleaner, go over soiled spots with sponge and cleaner.

You can use boiler water and do a faster cleaning job on dishes with a dish mop. It saves your hands and nails, too.

Let the whole house humidifier, borrow a coke from your living or dining room and bring it into the kitchen by using the other to pipe onto plain kitchen curtains.

Let wood frames on pictures sparkle by using a polish on them as you do furniture. It can be done after the glass is cleaned, if you are careful not to smear.

Line the garbage can with a paper sack with the top edge folded out. When full, these edges can be pulled over the top, and you need not get germs on the hands from the refuse.

Hang your pot holders over the wall if the space is not in use. You'll have them handy as you need them.

Make a paste of baking soda and water to use for cleaning metal. Handles in the kitchen and bath. Rinse off with clear water and wipe with a dry cloth.

Very dirty spots on tops should be brushed with dry soap or detergent before you try to use the wet.

Let the warm, can the reforming alcoholic set himself a time-limit of non-drinking. If he does, he will find himself watching the calendar with interest and thinking of the drink he will have when the six months, one year, or even five-year campaign is successfully completed. Instead, the alcoholic must carefully inch his way from drinkless day to drinkless day for the rest of his life.

SUCCESS PRAISED

The success of Alcoholics Anonymous is praised highly by Mr Sherman, and this book appears to follow A. A. philosophy so closely that it may well be used as a handbook.

"You Can Stop Drinking" treats alcoholism neither idealistically nor pictorially, but instead with sympathetic insight mixed with an equal part of inoffensive "straight from the shoulder" talk.

The self-confessed alcoholic may find that it will light the way to escape.—M.D.G.

Fireside Musings

By HELEN T. CARRINGTON

PSALM OF PRAISE

Let us humble ourselves before God, and give Him thanks for His eternal help—in the consciousness that we can do nothing in our own strength.

Let us give thanks unto God in that He is opening our eyes to our sins, and backsliding, and bringing us to the light of knowledge.

Let us render praise for the beautiful lives of heroism and self-sacrifice in our midst.

Let us give praise for the valiant hearts whose examples have influenced and encouraged so many, remembering always that both sacrifice and righteousness were inspired by Christ.

Let us all come together and give thanks that we have been spared to young people of bravery and ideals, who are willing to make the ideals of honor, who have the courage and ability to serve to nobles, ends and who are prepared to pay the price.

Let us cry aloud unto God with prayer and supplication that the peace of the world may be allowed to us, and that those who are called upon to serve may be upheld by the everlasting arms and given strength according to their day.

Above all let us give thanks for the pattern once given of the perfect life—and let us be tireless in our endeavors to follow the pathway leading to the light.

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By BETTY LENAHAN

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New Stylings . . .

—the fussy hat with important trimmings to match the mood of your holiday clothes. Feathers and iridescent embroidery are two favorites that enhance smart little pillbox shapes.

—Wide collars that extend to the shoulders and suggest the fashion of a little cape. They are found on greatcoats and fitted suits and may be softly draped about the neckline, too.

—Sailors cartwheel shapes with brims turned high dressmaker's look as if one brim were posed on top of another. Narrow velvet ribbons the smaller brim in matching color or black for flattering effect.

—The ensemble costume with natural wool coat trimmed to its companion dress in color. Some of the dresses are in wool jersey others in lie silk prints.

—The colorless coat which flatters and is achieve some of interest because of petal or other intricate cuts near the neckline in the front. Contrast facings are now very tiny to relieve any severity one might expect.

FASHION SAYS tartans will be worn for the coming season. Above is a dress with a wool coat and matching dress. Below is a two-piece dress with a wool coat and a dress. Both ensembles are made of the same tartan.

Tartans for Men's Vests This Spring

By ROGER WRIGHT

Lighter in construction, tight in fabric is the Spring story in men's suits and topcoats as often lighter, too. Fine wool and worsted suitings are specially chosen for beauty and comfort, and suits are cut for the same effect. Gone are the surplus padding and extra material the theory behind the change is that a man looks better as his natural self without heavily padded shoulders or folds of unnecessary fabric.

In line with the return to lightness and comfort is the swing lateral unstructured suit, cut to body lines. Shoulder seams that are almost vertical are very different from the extreme padded turn of seams in past seasons, when shoulders were "so big as you can make them." Double-breasted suits are still popular, too, of course, but they, too, have less padding.

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Prints Used With Colors

By MARIAN RAIL

Perennial salute to figurine is the emergence of prints—prints in blouses, under wool suits, prints in dressy and casual dresses, coats and prints that sometimes line a jacket or coat to repeat the gay note of a blouse or dress underneath. Many of the prints for Spring are new and refreshing. Some are in neat patterns while others try to get away from wallpaper and small florals by suggesting solid colors rather than definite designs.

Pretty as the butterflies that flit across a field are those which more than one dress designer showed in recent collections. Outstanding is the one with an array of butterflies in the designer's own clear sparkling colors such as turquoise, gold, green and a soft fuchsia-like tone speaking wing over a neutral background. The popularity of silk this year has something to do with the turn to butterflies for another designer, shows them, too. They are to beautiful colors but with a more Oriental feeling in authentic Summer designs that make use of borders as well. In pale green, gold and heavy they will work into a base made of a wide wash of green over flitter strawberries in pale pink and lilac and appear in a feather even bordered in pink on a white background. The same pattern is seen on the organza dress in white. There's a pretty green meadow print in a cotton organza as are most of the silk prints shown.

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SPECIAL ATTENTION has been given to armament of ship. Here group of Dockyard technicians work on quadruple 40 mm Bofors. Left to right: T. M. Cardingly, K. J. Vidal, E. Parrott, E. Harrison. In foreground D. Dickson.

IF RAZORS don't come into play until end of cruiser's training cruise these beards will be long-lived crops. At left A.B. Fred Van Hees. With him, A.B. V. W. Rolls.

AMONG MEN SAILING with Ontario will be many who have only recently joined ship. This one from naval establishment, all over Canada. Pictured before they changed name, from left are A.B. John Wilson, O.S. Don Bell and O.S. Derek Nelson.

H.M.C.S. ONTARIO

By RAY WORMALD

THE cruiser H.M.C.S. Ontario is scheduled to sail from Esquimalt tomorrow on a three-and-a-half month training cruise which will take her to Australia, New Zealand, and several other distant ports.

Word of the long trip, in which the senior ship of Pacific Command will sail approximately 15,000 miles, was received here some time ago, and steps were taken immediately to get her ready for the operation. In photographs appearing on these pages Colonist photographer Jim Ryan has captured the spirit of activity which has swept over the ship for the past several weeks.

Commanded by Commodore Hugh F. Pullen, the cruiser will visit Pearl Harbor, the Samoan and Fiji Islands, and seven of the principal ports in the "Down Under" nations. She is scheduled to return to her home base June 7.

Between March 29 and April 7 the Canadian warship will take part in exercises with units of the Royal Australian and Royal New Zealand Navies off Australia.

In addition to her regular complement, the "Big O" will carry 20 junior officers and 96 ordinary seamen of the R.C.N. embarked for sea training. Also aboard will be six Royal Canadian Sea Cadets—chosen from sea cadet corps across the country.

The R.C.N. has moved into a globe-trotting era beyond anything ever known in peacetime for Canada, and the Ontario, it is reported, will be the first Canadian warship to conduct such a cruise to Australia. All Canada wishes her "GOOD LUCK and GOOD SAILING."

—Colonist Photos by Jim Ryan

ONTARIO'S GALLEY has been completely modernized and re-equipped with latest in cooking units. Bars serving as one are, left to right: A.B. Ken Lalonde, L.T. William Appleton and A.B. Ray Hedley.

OBVIOUSLY QUITE HAPPY about prospects of cruise are these top officers of Ontario. Commodore H. F. Pullen, O.B.E., master of ship, at right, and Commander Duncan L. Raymond.

A.B. HARVEY JONES, P.O. Robert Cole and P.O. Roy Makaro took seriously their job of splicing one in one of ship's spring lines. Wire rope is 3½ inches in circumference.

AS CRUISER was prepared for cruise, special attention was given to getting decks scrubbed and polished. Left to right: O.S. William Fenn, O.S. Don Aimon and O.S. Gerald (Bud) Millard.

HALF WAY UP SPAR O.S. David Woodland is seen applying final coat of paint. Sight of men dangling in "bos'n's chairs" from and about heights of ship has been common sight lately.

OVER PAST SEVERAL WEEKS thousands upon thousands of square feet of decking and other portions of ship have been repainted. Doing this shine known making ship really "laddy" is O.S. Don Smoroc.

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SECOND NEWS SECTION

NO. 64—NINETY-THIRD YEAR — VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1951

Alberni High School Team Wins Colonist Cup

Pre-tournament favorites, Alberni High School last night won the first annual Vancouver Island High School championship by defeating Victoria High School in final. Don "Twitter" Hill, captain and star of winning team, is shown above accepting Colonist Cup from Cyril Wightman. Hill also won Times Trophy for being voted most valuable player in tournament.

—Colonist Photo.

Cameraman caught typical action here in hard-fought game. Pete Zarry of Victoria is shown as he leaves floor to get scoring shot away. It appears that Alberni's B. Nichol is guilty of fouling as he lops Zarry's elbow. R. Gray (No. 5) arrives too late to check Zarry while teammate C. Schlich (No. 8) is shown at extreme right with worried expression as he watches shot.

Last-Minute Spurt Gives Royals Win

Keep Possession of League Leadership With 6-2 Victory Over Tired Cougars

BOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	T.	GF.	GA.	Pts.
New Westminster	32	20	2	206	175	71
Victoria	31	21	2	206	175	68
Tacoma	31	21	2	191	161	68
Portland	24	28	1	174	211	49
Seattle	21	31	1	174	211	43
Vancouver	19	33	1	181	216	39

Next games, tonight: Vancouver at Portland, Tacoma at Seattle.

New Westminster Royals appear to have the happy facility of winning the games they need to win. The P.C.H.L. leaders did it again at New Westminster last night as they trimmed Victoria Cougars, 6-2, to regain their six-point lead.

In the game for the first 40 minutes, the Cougars simply ran out of gasoline and the Royals pumped in three goals in the last 12 minutes to average their 5-2 setback here Friday night. With a game in hand, the Cougars still retain a chance to top the league and will take up their home ice for a final game against Tuesday when they host Vancouver Canucks.

Played before a crowd of 5,000, last night's game was another fast, wide-open affair and there was nothing to choose between the clubs until the third period. Ed Mazur, who scored his 31st goal of the season in the first period and was a dangerous attacker all night, scored two great chances in the second period when a goal mishap nullified the final result. Coach Roger Leger was a Cougar standout on the night.

SCORES WINNER

The teams split four goals in the first period and Butch Houle, rookie defenceman, scored what proved to be the winner in the second period with a long, partially-screened shot. It stayed 3-3 until Joe Peterson napped in two goals 17 seconds apart early in the final period.

Reg Abbott and Stan Long swapped blows in the second period, but Abbott was thinking and got tooth when he collided with Peterson while Long got a head cut. Neither is seriously injured. Don Webster, who had already taken three minor penalties, clashed with Anne Dubuit in the third period and add another five minutes to his penalty time.

At Tacoma, the desperate Rockets battled to a surprise tie with the own more desperate Vancouver Canucks in one of the roughest games of the season. Sixteen minor two minors, a misconduct and game misconduct were assessed in Referee Eddie Powers as the club battled for important points in their attempts to improve their playoff positions.

VICTORIA 2, NEW WESTMINSTER 6

Victoria—Cowley, Leger, Wetmore, Abbott, Hebenton, Bringsloe; Bain—Lemieux, Ferguson, Mazur, Dubuit, Zarry, Schlich, Pavelich; Bain, Mazur.

New Westminster—Gardiner, Pratt, Houle, Long, Peterson, Gray, Abbott, Bergeron, Bjack, Ferguson, Dorey, Dubuit, Lewall, Hoddinott, Gruhn; Peterson, Houle.

First Period—1, New Westminster, Houle (Lewall, Pratt) 17; 2, Victoria, Mazur (Bain, Lemieux) 14; 3, New Westminster, Peterson (Hoddinott, Gray) 17; 4, New Westminster, Peterson (Hoddinott, Gray) 18.

Second Period—5, New Westminster, Peterson (Houle, Long) 0.

Third Period—6, New Westminster, Peterson (Houle, Long) 0; 7, Victoria, Mazur (Bain, Pavelich) 0; 8, Victoria, Bain (Mazur, Lemieux) 0; 9, New Westminster, Houle (Pratt) 13 (defence, Dorey); 10, New Westminster, Dubuit (empty net) 19 (Lewall, Abbott).

VANCOUVER 8, TACOMA 8

Vancouver—Hoban, Bates, Arundell, Hogan (captain), Russell; Sabo—Schmidt, Kraemer, Adams; Hi Proteau, Bill Proteau, Bill Dowling.

Tacoma—Bill Sabo, Johnson, Chamberlain, Adam, Dinsmore, Sabo; Bishop, Tonio Sabo, Jackson, Andrews; Smith, Ferguson, Bonin.

First Period—Tacoma, Sabo, Possible; Adams (3), (unassisted), (3), Kraemer (Adams, Hogan), Hogan (Kraemer, Adams), Hogan (Russell, Adams).

Second Period—Hogan, Possible; Tacoma, Sabo (Johnson, Chamberlain), Adam (Sabo, Johnson).

Third Period—Scoring—None. Penalties—Lemieux, Bates, Hogan, Chamberlain, Adam, Lemieux, Bill Proteau, Russell, Sabo, Sabo—Hughes 18 Minutes 20

Up-Islanders Best Victoria, 46-38 In Final; Don Hill Star of Tourney

Playing up to their pre-tourney rating, Alberni High School's well-drilled and smooth basketball team last night won the first annual Vancouver Island High School Basketball Tournament by defeating Victoria High School, 46-38, in the final at Victoria.

The Colonist Cup, emblematic of the Island championship, was presented to Don Hill, captain and star of the champions, at the conclusion of the game by Cyril Wightman.

Led by Hill, voted the most valuable player in the tournament, the Up-Islanders took the lead near the end of the first quarter and were never headed. Vic High jumped ahead, 5-1, in the early going but were trailing, 11-6, at the end of the quarter. The Victorians were four points down, 22-18, at the half but a sudden flurry of scoring put Alberni ahead, 32-18, in the third quarter. Lowers fought back but could never get closer than the final eight-point margin.

Hill led scorers of both teams with 17 points and received great support from Claude Schlich, who showed a lot of speed and some fine ball handling, and Ron Grey, an excellent defensive performer throughout. George Westlake, who led his team with 13 points, and Jack Shields were Victoria standouts.

NANAIMO THIRD

Nanaimo edged Mount View after two sudden-death overtime periods, 72-30, to wind up in third place. Mount View gained fifth spot in the eight-team meet. Esquimalt won fourth place by beating North Saanich, 48-30, with the losers ranked sixth. The latter teams gained a chance for higher ranking by winning afternoon games. North Saanich defeating Salt Spring, 34-28, and Esquimalt stopping Thetis, 38-32.

FORTY SAANICH (34)—Pearson 2, Wilson 1, Dalton 4, Schmid 3, Clara 8, Pearson 2, Christie 11, Moore 1; Peddle 0, Pearson 0.

SALT SPRING (28)—Trevelyan, Jackson 4, Barton 2, Parsons 4, Maxwell 8, Hoole 7, Dodds, Goodman, Miller, Swanson 3, Lee.

THETIS (32)—Grant 10, McGuire 4, Cameron 2, Ferguson 2, Cunningham 2, Grove 2, Wolverton, H. Wolverton, Mitchell, Spalding 2.

ESQUIMALT (38)—Sandberg 6, Jackson 2, Fraser 8, Jones 1, Bennett 6, Cunningham, Bond, Gibbs, Oliver.

NORTH SAANICH (30)—Pearson 7, Wilson 2, Dalton 2, Schmid 2, Christie 17; Dowlatt 10, Moore, Peddle, Pearson 2.

ESQUIMALT (46)—Sandberg 16, Jackson 2, Fraser 8, Jones 2, Bennett 8, Bond 2, Cunningham, Ross, Gibbs, Oliver.

NANAIMO (72)—Pearson 2, Wilson 2, Dalton 2, Schmid 2, Clara 2, Christie 10, Moore 2, Peddle 2, Pearson 2.

ESQUIMALT (48)—Sandberg 16, Jackson 2, Fraser 8, Jones 2, Bennett 8, Bond 2, Cunningham, Ross, Harris, Carter.

MT. VIEW (32)—Gray, Bancroft 11, Wilson 16, Price 2, Watson, Catherine 2, Hamilton, Ferguson, Ferguson, Ferguson.

NORTH SAANICH (30)—Pearson 2, Wilson 2, Dalton 2, Schmid 2, Clara 2, Christie 10, Moore 2, Peddle 2, Pearson 2.

PORT ALBERNI (46)—Hill 17, Gray 8, Schlich 8, Nichol 2, Ferguson 2, Long 2, Cowley 2, Bennett, Frost.

VICTORIA HIGH (38)—Woodland 12, Shields 4, Westlake 13, Parker, Cameron 2, Abbott 2, Johnson 4, Wren, Shields.

IT BEATS ME

By Jim Tang

It's too bad Murph Chamberlain didn't get a copy of Lloyd Percival's "Hockey Handbook" when he took over as coach of the Vancouver Canucks. Murph tried everything to get into the P.C.H.L. playoffs and probably unsaved that the reason for his failure could well have been that he was playing his mesomorphs and ectomorphs on the same line.

Percival, who took six years to put together the 314 pages of what is termed on its cover to be "the first really comprehensive report ever written on ice hockey," covers a lot of ground in his scientific approach to the game, but is liable to confuse even the most erudite of coaches when they start reading about the six body types.

Hockey players, and all other humans, are either medials, meso-medials, mesomorphs, ectomorphs, ecto-medials or endomorphs, according to Percival, who admits that sometimes another combination, such as the endo-mesomorph, may show up. This will no doubt prove extremely enlightening to Chamberlain and other coaches who are used to even more primitive terms when talking to, or of, some of their players.

Coaches should concentrate on the medials and meso-medials, who are the ideal types, and discard all their endomorphs, who have very little chance for hockey success. A medial is the happy medium with great versatility who might be both a lacrosse player and a shot-putter. In hockey medials make good goalies and centremen. A meso-medial is a medial with bigger muscles and the most preferred of all Great all-round athletes are invariably meso-medials. The unfortunate endomorphs are those who possess a round, feminine type of body with small shoulders and big hips, and muscles which are loose, fatty, and lacking in tone.

Of course, there are not enough medials and meso-medials to go around as mesomorphs, ectomorphs and ecto-medials have to be used. The former is the fellow with the strong legs, big chest and narrow waist. Very pretty on the benches but inclined to value brawn over brain and to take it easy. They should be used on lines with meso-medials and medials. An ectomorph is a thinner edition of the mesomorph, easily hurt, but a cool, smooth type without too much drive. That's the main feature of the ecto-medial, who gets by on nervous energy. He's usually the small, wiry type who is fast and agile and is either brilliant or absolutely impossible.

Then there is that endo-mesomorph, who is the mesomorph who gives in to his love of eating and ease. Hey, Mr. Percival, wasn't your book confined to hockey players?

Random Harvest

Fish are to be caught off Beauble Ledge for anglers with a boat and hardy enough to face the elements. John Christiansen has taken at least three, weighing 20, 18 and nine pounds, in the last few days. He caught them on a No. 3 50/50 Wonder spoon using eight ounces of weight . . . Judging from the number of people trying to use the Memorial Arena pay phone at hockey games, some effort should be made to install a second phone in the empty booth . . . Ray Dawes, the promising Portland outfield prospect who was being counted on as a star for the Athletics, has been inducted into the U.S. Army . . . Erale Field, manager of Victoria Weco, who was an army cook in the Great War and the World War, is all is again at Work Pebble Barracks . . . To Brock Whitney must belong the honor of giving away the most trophies. A bowling cup yesterday made it 63 Whitney Cups up for competition . . . Judging from the report of last night's basketball play-off at Alberni, it's about time that officials brought in neutral officials. It is unthinkable that it wasn't done this season and the fault for complaints must belong to the Coaches Association . . . Four new umpires will make their appearance in the W.I.L. this season, joining holdovers Joe Iacovitti, Micky Hanick, Nels Pearson and Art Jacobs. They are Dick Vanderhoof, who was the Cougars Senior League; Ed Mazkowski, from the Arbutus Texas League; George Behringer, California State League, and Milton Eller, Longhorn League. Gerry Maddren, Gordie Perkins and Don Begbie have been released . . . Perkins, incidentally, has purchased a city newsstand and appears set to give up the thankless task of umpiring after two seasons . . . Vancouver Island hunters, fearing a serious shortage of deer, will be sent more detailed reports of record kills in other parts of the continent. New Brunswick, with 22,430; New York, with 20,544, and Maine, with 20,316, all reported record deer kills, while New Hampshire's total of 10,586 was the lowest it from the previous high.

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BURNING DEPARTMENT: Detroit and Boston in the N.H.L. tonight and Portland and Seattle in the P.C.H.L. Tomorrow, Douglas Tire, Civil Service and Fishermen in the Commercial Hockey League games and McNair's, Moose and Shamrocks in play-off basketball. Bowling average to date: At bat 104, bite 86, percentage, 769.

Hockey Scores

W.H.L.

Toronto 3, Boston 1.
Montreal 6, New York 3.

P.C.H.L.

Victoria 2, New Westminster 6.
Vancouver 8, Tacoma 8.

AMATEUR HOCKEY LEAGUE

Nanaimo 7, Esquimalt 2.
Alberni 4, Victoria 2.

U.S.H.L.

Trail 5, Regina 2.
Edmonton 2, Saskatoon 10.

A.H.L.

Buffalo 4, Rochester 4.
Cincinnati 4, Springfield 1.
Hershey 3, Providence 5.
St. Louis 1, Houston 2.

CAPE BRETON SENIOR

Glace Bay 10, North Sydney 1.

MARITIME SENIOR

Moncton 2, Halifax 3.

QUEBEC SENIOR

Ottawa 2, Shawinigan 3.

ONTARIO SENIOR

Toronto Marlboros 7, Kitchener 4.

QUEBEC JUNIOR

Toronto Marlboros 8, Waterloo 3.
Montreal Canadiens 8, Windsor 3.
Windsor 1, Omaha 1.

MARITIME INTERPROVINCIAL LEAGUE

Sussex 4, Detroit Juvie Cha 3.

EASTERN CANADA SENIOR

North Bay 2, Ottawa Army 4.
Ottawa Army 3, North Bay 1.

MARITIME JUNIOR

Montreal Canadiens 2, Quebec 2.

MANITOBA JUNIOR

Brandon 4, Winnipeg Black Hawks 1.
Winnipeg Black Hawks 2, Brandon 1.
Saskatoon 5, Humboldt 3.

U.S.H.L.

Omaha 5, Minneapolis 3.
Tulsa 1, Kansas City 2.

SASKATCHEWAN SENIOR

Turtleford 7, Lloydminster 2.

WESTERN CANADA JUNIOR

(Quasi-Finals)

Lethbridge 4, Lloydminster Pass 8.

Flyers Rally To Down Caps

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	T.	GF.	GA.	Pts.
Calgary	39	14	5	237	154	83
Edmonton	34	19	5	227	174	73
Saskatoon	34	20	4	229	186	72
Regina	31	24	3	229	196	65
Flin Flon	24	31	3	196	229	51
Brandon	14	41	3	154	237	31

EDMONTON, Feb. 24 (CP)—Edmonton Flyers scored four goals in the last period tonight to defeat the last-place Regina Caps 5-4 in a Western Canada Senior Hockey League game.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Edmonton, Barry, 7-0.
Penalties: Brandjord, Barry, Hoff, Barry, Wyatt, Clarke.

Second Period—2, Regina, Cullen (Hale, Pierson, Brandjord) 9-0; 3, Regina, Hoff (Brandjord) 4-0; 4, Edmonton, Pierson (Lagrand, Barry) 10-0; 5, Edmonton, Lagrand (Barry, Pierson) 10-0; 6, Edmonton, Barry (Pierson, Lagrand) 10-0.
Penalties: Barry, Hoff, Brandjord, Brandjord, Hale, Pierson, Pierson,

The Spotlight

By GRANTLAND RICE—

This sporting business can pack on the years in a hurry.

In reading where Bob Feller had signed his 1951 contract recently it didn't seem possible that 15 seasons had passed since the 17-year-old in 1936 . . . Except for the World War, Feller could easily have been a 300-game winner in the majors. He was just walking into prime when the fiery lifted him for four years and when he returned his famous fast ball wasn't quite as fast as it used to be.

Feller is now 32. That isn't too old, but it isn't too young for a pitcher who had to depend on raw speed so long, and later locate a new pitching form, with the brain partly supplanting the arm.

HEADED FOR RECORD

When Feller first broke into baseball it looked at the time as if he would break all records. In one three-inning test as a kid he fanned nine Cardinals. Later he practically annihilated the Tigers with 18 strikeouts. No one seemed to hit against him. He was almost as fast as Walter Johnson minus Johnson's fine control.

At 18 he was big and strong, with a cool head and a stout heart. But he was never able to make the 30-games-a-year mark and his four-year service didn't help him any.

As a bonus kid, Feller would have been cheap as a $100,000 buy, and it looks as if that Cleveland or someone else would have paid this price said Robert has naturally skidded a trifle the last few years. But in 1948 and 1950 he has won 30 games for the Indians and his count is over 200.

TOSSES MORE CURVES

Last season he ran third in the earned-run department, a strong ranking for a 15-year veteran. He is throwing more curves than he once threw, his control is much better and he has become smart. He's working with a good team this season, a team dead sure to be a pennant contender. Nineteen fifty-one can easily be a good year for the big green kid of 1936 who might as well have been using a rifle. His fast ball belonged with Mose Grove's and Bigler Johnson's, just back of the Big Train. There has never been another Walter Johnson.

The Joe Louis Angle

A good friend of Joe Louis, a former golf companion, has an interesting story to tell about the ex-champion's comeback dreams.

"Joe's first big attack came in the first Walcott fight," he said. "He didn't believe he was that big. He just figured is an old slight. His second shock came in the second Walcott fight, although Louis won. But he still didn't look good. Joe figured he ought to be much better. But he still didn't look good. Joe figured he ought to be much better. He knew he was. You know Joe has always had a lot of pride about his fighting ability. He rated the game so long he couldn't believe there was anyone else close. Jack Dempsey was on top seven years. Gene Tunney retired after three years. But Joe was up three over ten years.

"The fight that really woke him up, though, was the Rinaldo Cartaldo meeting. That really shook Joe. To be outboxed and outpunched was more than he could stand.

HE REALLY WORKED

"Before Joe had worked pretty hard to get back in shape. But after the Charles beating he really went to work. When you cut away all that fat from 223 to 206 you are working hard. Joe worked hard. Now, he's actually acting sad for that championship again. The money is important, but not too important. He wants that title back more than he wants the money. Money has never meant much to Joe, anyway. That is known around everything. That's why Louis is taking his training so seriously. His pride has been hurt bad.

"Do many of Joe's friends think he can make it?" I asked

"They doubt it a lot—against a fighter as fast as Charles. They don't believe Joe can catch Charles or box with him now. After all, you can't train those old reflexes to act young again. Nobody can do that. Joe will have to gamble on landing a lucky punch. He can still knock out anyone he hits. But we all doubt that he can catch a man who moves around the way Ezzard Charles does. Charles has too many years working on his side."

Underdogs Shake Rivals In British Soccer Race

LONDON, Feb. 24 (Reuters)—Two underdog clubs shook their rivals in First Division competence today in the quarter finals of the British Soccer Cup race.

Birmingham, of Division II, entered the semi-finals with a 1-0 victory over Manchester United, holder of three years ago.

And the lowly Bristol Rovers, of Division III, held powerful, star-studded Newcastle United to a draw at Newcastle.

The Bristol club has spent £200 buying players. Newcastle's club cost thousands.

Another draw today found Burnley-and the Wolverhampton Wanderers with one goal apiece when the whistle blew.

The fourth game on today's card yielded a 1-0 win for Blackpool over Fulham.

BIG HOUSE

A total of 300,000 people watched the four matches.

Bristol Rovers played hard, ignoring Newcastle's classy reputation. They held firm in defence against the cup team's powerful attack, and did a fair amount of attacking themselves.

If they can take the replay to settle their draw Wednesday, they will become the first Division III club to enter the semi-finals since 1287.

Birmingham's winning goal against Manchester came in the first 20 seconds of the game, scored by inside right Higgins.

Blackpool beat Fulham on a penalty kick netted after three minutes of play.

Sunderland had a clear edge over the Wolves in attack but Wolverhampton's defence was smart enough to hold the verdict to a draw.

In the Division I race, Tottenham and Arsenal—first and third in the league—were both beaten but Tottenham's goals margin remains the North London club to hold the league leadership.

The game was trimmed 2-0 by Burnley. Arsenal went down 2-6 to Charlton.

FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION CUP

SIXTH ROUND

Birmingham City 1 Manchester United 0
Blackpool 1, Fulham 0
Burnley 2, Arsenal 6
Sunderland 1, Wolverhampton Wanderers 1
Bristol Rovers 1, Newcastle United 1

ENGLISH LEAGUE

FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal 6, Charlton Athletic 2
Burnley 2, Cheltenham Hotspur 1
Chelsea 2, Sheffield Wednesday 0
Sheffield Wednesday 2, Chelsea 1
Stoke City 1, Bolton 1
West Bromwich Albion 1, Derby County 1

OTHER MATCHES

Brentford 1, Middlesbrough 1
Bradford 1, Middlesbrough 1

SECOND DIVISION

Bury 3, Leeds United 1
Coventry City 1, Nottingham Forest 0
Fulham 2, Southampton 1
Grimsby Town 1, Brentford 1
Hull City 1, Sheffield 1
Lincoln City 2, Blackpool 2
Luton Town 1, Doncaster Rovers 2
Manchester City 2, Sheffield United 1
Preston North End 1, Leeds United 1
Queens Park Rangers 1, Barnsley 1
Swansea Town 1, Bury 1

THIRD DIVISION (Southern)

Bristol City 4, Brighton and Hove Albion 0
Bristol Rovers 1, Newcastle United 1
Cardiff City 1, Bristol Rovers 2
Ipswich Town 1, Nottingham Forest 1
Leyton Orient 1, Reading 1
Millwall 1, Southampton 1
Northampton Town 1, Torquay United 1
Norwich City 1, Crystal Palace 1
Southend United 2, Swindon Town 1
Walsall 1, Bristol City 1
Watford 2, Brentford 1
Wolverhampton Wanderers 1, Aldershot 1

THIRD DIVISION (Northern)

Accrington Stanley 3, Shrewsbury Town 1
Chester 1, Stockport City 3
Darlington 2, Rotherham United 2
Gateshead 1, Crewe 1
Hull City 1, Southampton 1
Oldham Athletic 1, Halifax Town 1
Rotherham United 1, New Brighton 0
Stockport County 1, Chesterfield 1
Tranmere Rovers 1, Bradford 1
Wrexham 1, Barnsley 1
Bradford Park Avenue 1, Darlington 1
Carlisle United 1, Gateshead 1
York City 2, Rochdale 1

SCOTTISH CUP

THIRD ROUND

Stenhousemuir 1, Celtic 1
Rangers 1, Clyde 1

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

DIVISION "A"

Dundee 1, Aberdeen 1
Hibernian 1, Partick 1
Hibernian 3, East Fife 0
Motherwell 1, Celtic 1
Raith Rovers 1, Hearts 1
Raith Rovers 1, Rangers 1

DIVISION "B"

Albion Rovers 1, Cowdenbeath 3
Arbroath 1, Queen of South 1
Dumbarton 2, Stenhousemuir 1
Forfar Athletic 2, Stenhousemuir 1
Hamilton Academicals 1, Queen of South 1
Queen Park 1, East Stirling 0
St. Johnstone 4, Stirling Albion 0

THIRD LEAGUE

DIVISION "A"

Aldershot 1, Gillingham 1
Brighton and Hove Albion 1, Bristol City 1
Clapton Orient 1, Southampton 1
Crystal Palace 1, Ipswich Town 1
Leyton Orient 1, Reading 1
Millwall 1, Queens Park Rangers 1
Northampton Town 1, Torquay United 1
Norwich City 1, Bristol Rovers 1
Southend United 2, Swindon Town 1
Walsall 1, Bristol City 1
Watford 2, Brentford 1
Wolverhampton Wanderers 1, Aldershot 1

DIVISION "B"

Barnsley 1, Chesterfield 1
Bradford 1, Bradford Park Avenue 1
Carlisle United 1, Gateshead 1
Chester 1, Stockport County 3
Darlington 2, Rotherham United 2
Hull City 1, Southampton 1
Oldham Athletic 1, Halifax Town 1
Rotherham United 1, New Brighton 0
Tranmere Rovers 1, Bradford 1
Wrexham 1, Barnsley 1
York City 2, Rochdale 1

Cabgirls Take Solid Lead In Title Series

O. & O. Taxi took a stranglehold on the intermediate "B" women's Vancouver Island basketball title by defeating Parkerville, 47-32, in the opening game of the series at Parkerville last night.

The Cabgirls will hold a commanding 25-point lead when they meet the Parkerville team at the Amphion School Basketball hall next Friday.

Lowella Kalk, playing a brilliant all-round game, led the winners to a 16-8 half-time score.

O. & O. Taxi: Bonnette 17 (capt.), Kalk 14, Ross 10, Kalk 2, Robertson 4, Ferguson 2, Hall 2, Parkerville: Barker 7, Bell 2, Ferguson 2, Hall 2, Gordon 10, Richardson (capt.) 9.

Tide Fails to Loosen Varsity's Hold on Cup

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	F.F.	F.A.	Pts.
Varsity	3	1	11	8	6
Victoria	2	2	18	30	4
Vancouver	2	2	36	17	4
North Shore	1	3	8	22	2

VANCOUVER, Feb. 24 (CP)—Varsity Thunderbirds improved their chances of retaining the McKechnie Cup by defeating Victoria 8-3 in the opening game of the series at the U.B.C. Stadium in a hard-fought Rugby game this afternoon. They now lead Victoria and Vancouver Rep by two points. All clubs have two more games to play.

Vancouver Reps travelled across Burrard Inlet to Confederation Park and defeated North Shore by 18-6 in two goals and three tries to nil in another game in the same competition.

Once again, Varsity won on penalty kicks, and all their points in the series have been made from penalties.

Victoria had an equal share of play in the first half. But Austin Taylor Jr. kicked Varsity's first penalty goal two minutes before the interval, when Victoria was penalized for lying on the ball. He had previously missed another penalty attempt from a more difficult position.

SCORES TRY

Victoria penned Varsity in their own area when the second half started and after just failing to cross, scored a try at the five-minute mark when Jim Milne went over from a five-yard scrum. John Shipley failed to convert.

In another five minutes, however, Taylor put Varsity ahead again with a 30-yard penalty goal.

Victoria Reps deteriorated and thirty backfield cover got going again after this. Just before time, Stan Clarke of Varsity and Morris Green of Victoria left the game with injuries suffered in a collision. Clarke with a cut over his right eye, and Gower with a damaged shoulder.

Vancouver Reps gave a big-top display against the Shores, being much faster and smarter. In the first 30 minutes they registered three tries, two converted by Jim Spoon, one of which he converted. Barry Morris scored the first try for an unconverted try before half-time, which arrived with the score 14-0.

In the second half, Doug Smart got another try for Vancouver, and Harry Winter converted with a brilliant kick from the touchline.

Carpet Bowling

The annual tournament of the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling League will start Monday evening. Draw for the week follows:

Monday—Army and Navy Club, Rangers vs. Bank of Montreal.
Tuesday—Birds Club (Saanich) vs. Oak and Harrison vs. Cliff and Bates. Wednesday—Bank of Montreal vs. Rangers. Friday—Oak and Harrison vs. Rangers. Birds Club—Bridges and Blundell. Cliff and Bates—Bank of Montreal. Army and Navy Club—Blundell and Bates. Birds Club—Bates and Blundell. Cliff and Bates—Bridges and Blundell. Rangers—Bridges and Bates. Bank of Montreal—Bridges and Blundell. Army and Navy Club—Bridges and Bates.

Vic West Regains Lead By Win Over Britannias

BOW THEY STAND

Victoria West	7	5	1	57	10
Britannia	7	5	1	56	10
Oak Bay	7	4	2	16	8
Beacons	7	3	2	15	6
Victoria Rep	7	3	2	14	6
Victoria	7	2	3	15	4
Saanich	7	1	4	13	2
Esquimalt	7	0	5	12	0

Next games, today: Beacons vs. Oak. Lower Beacons field. Saanich vs. Victoria West. Saanich field, start at 3:00 p.m.

Victoria West regained undisputed possession of first place in the Vic West Soccer Football Association by defeating Britannia, 4-3, in a last game at the Lower Beacon Hill grounds yesterday afternoon.

Tty Weeks, who were knocked off the top spot last week-end for the first time in many weeks, had to struggle to collect the necessary two points, rallying from a 3-0 half-time deficit to pull out the victory.

A strong breeze blew throughout the contest and was a definite factor in the play. Playing with the wind at their backs during the opening canto, Britannia held a slight territorial edge.

Tommy Fulton, who played an outstanding game on the forward line for the losers, gave the Legion a one-goal margin at the four and a half-minute mark. Charlie Constable followed their other tally six minutes later. Goalie Norm Richards' view was blocked on the latter goal and he had no chance.

QUICKLY FIND RANGE

The West's lost no time in employing the brisk wind once the teams had changed ends and halved the margin on the opening rush of the second period. Lionel Hunter found the range for the opening goal and added the tying marker a few minutes later.

The winning goal came from the penalty spot. Bertie Clarkson was fouled in the penalty area when he went in for a shot and Fullback Ron Woolcock, who was decided to take the free boot, made no mistake.

Although the West put up a tight defence in front of Richards, he was forced to make many fine stops, especially in the first half. John Moss, Britannia netminder, also turned in a solid performance.

Britannia—Moss, C. Robins, Gordon, Fulton, Dodson, Sale, Constable, Ryan, Clarkson, Hale, Hunter.

Victoria West—Richards, Woolcock, Weeks, Ross, Pearce, Hunt, Weeks, Newton, Spring, Turner, Clarkson, Robertson, Ewart, Bishop.

Sunglow Wins Widener 'Cap By Small Edge

MIAMI, Feb. 24 (UNI)—Brookmeadows Stable's Sunglow charged down the Hialeah stretch like the brilliant flash his name signifies today to win the fabled $50,000 Widener Handicap by a scant length and a quarter.

The four-year-old chestnut colt, with Jockey Doug Dodson urging him on, overtook front running Three Rings an eighth of a mile from the wire in the mile-and-a-quarter Florida racing classic.

Three Rings came in second, three-fourths of a length in front of the third-place horse, Rokeby Stable's County Delight.

Paul Kelley's Gangway, winner of last week's McCormac Handicap, finished fourth in the 16-horse field.

FOUL CLAIMED

Sunglow covered the distance in 2:02 4-5, and the fans that bet the Brookmeadows flash down to a 7-2 favorite had their hunches when Three Rings jockey, Hendley Woodhouse, claimed he was fouled by Dodson in the stretch.

Sunglow which was combined with stablemate Crying Away as the Brookmeadows entry, paid $9 to win, $4.20 to place and $3.10 to show.

Three Rings returned $6.40 and $4.00. County Delight paid $4.00 to show.

Bowling Scores

GIBSONS BOWLADROME
TUESDAY'S TIPPER LEAGUE

Emily Pronsons 601
Ethel Hall 560
Halfway Inn 1 [illegible]
Halfway Inn 2 Redons [illegible]
Halfway Inn 3 [illegible]
E. & H. Shops [illegible]
Shoreacres Teacher [illegible]
Halfway Inn 4 [illegible]
J. J. Parson Products [illegible]

Halfway Inn—Latham, 266, Smith, 256, Latham, 1,022, Smith, 1,000, Latham, 1,000, Latham, 1,226, 1,184, 1,184, Latham, 3,594.

B. C. Power Products—Jacobs, 226, Bartlett, 1,0, Cook, 224, Lewis, 226, Lewis, 1,0, Cook, 1,0, Lewis, 1,0, Cook, 1,0, Lewis, 1,0, Cook, 1,0

City Badminton Tourney Ends

Colonist Photo

Pictured relaxing during play in Victoria badminton championships held this week at Victoria Lawn Tennis and Badminton Club are six players who took part in first meet in ten years. From left to right are: Barbara Rose, Karen Jorgensen, Jack Parker, Bruce Wilson, Dave Ascott and Clare King. Mrs. Jorgensen, former Maritimes champion, won women's singles title

George Lane, Karen Jorgensen Take City Singles Titles in Shuttle Tourney

George Lane and Karen Jorgensen won the singles titles last night at the completion of the 1950 Victoria badminton championships at the Victoria Lawn Tennis and Badminton Club. It was the first city championship in ten years.

Mrs. Jorgensen, former Maritimes champion, scored a mild upset by beating Joyce McDonald in the women's final, 6-11, 15-11, 11-2, after a well-played and hard-fought match. Mrs. MacDonald stayed in the battle until the third set, when she was unable to match the stamina of her rival.

However, Mrs. MacDonald won her share of the honors by winning in the women's and mixed doubles. She teamed with Mrs. Rom Knott in the women's doubles to defeat Mrs. Jorgensen and Betty Berrington, 15-5, 18-5, with the Brentwood pair showing a definite superiority. Mrs. MacDonald shared the mixed doubles with Lane, trounncing Clare King and B. Ascott, 15-3, 15-3.

Lane had no trouble defending the men's singles crown he won ten years ago. The Brentwood star trimmed Jim Mills, 15-3, 15-5, although his opponent put up a strong battle.

Lane added his third title in the men's doubles as he paired with N. Landrick to defeat Hugh Francis and Stan Richard, 15-12, 17-15, in a match that produced the best badminton of the day.

Francis shared a title when he set best were almost caught. They had trouble in the second as the score ran to 14-14 but finally managed to close it out in straight sets.

teamed with Bill Dunbar to take the veterans' doubles. Rood Francis and Ray Watson were the losers, bowing in straight sets, 15-7, 15-7.

Worsham Low After 54 Holes Of Golf Meet

HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 24 (UNS).—Lew Worsham fired a two-under-par 70 today to grab the third-round lead in the $10,000 Houston Open with a 207 total for 54 holes.

The husky Oakmont, Pa., pro, whose fairway earnings have been slim since he won the National Open in 1947, clipped four strokes off par on the Memorial Park course.

His three-round tally gave him a one-stroke lead over Marty Furgol, who posted a 72 for a 208 score.

TEE MOVED BACK

The tees were moved all the way back today on the 4,967-yard course and most of the 66 players found tough sledding. Only eight cracked the regulation 36-36—72.

Young Jackie Burns, Jr., registered a 71 to go into the 209 bracket with Henry Ransom and John Weitzel of Harrisburg, Pa. Ransom and Weitzel both shot 73's.

Bunched at 210 were R. J. (Dutch) Harrison, Glen Teal, Jimmy Clark and Fred Hawkins.

Second-round leader Ed (Porky) Oliver came to a 77 and was resting at 211 with veterans Lloyd Mangrum and Jim Ferrier. Mangrum had the hottest round of the day —a 69.

Gehrmann Nips Rival at Tape

NEW YORK, Feb. 24 (UNS).—Don Gehrmann, Illinois lad Will by the width of his skiing chest in the final sprint of the Lou Zamperini Special Mile tonight at Madison Square Garden.

The former University of Wisconsin star thus won his 30th consecutive mile victory and extended his supremacy over his arch-rival, Will, to eight straight races—six of them this year.

Tonight, both Gehrmann and Will were tied in identical 4:08.6—not the fastest time of the season for either, but an individual of just how close it was at the tape.

Mat Newcomer

FRANK MURDOCK

Promoter Rocky Brooks' fourth weekly wrestling program at Club Elrosco Tuesday night will feature Murdock, who looks like Buffalo Bill Cody but is reported to be greatest wrestler. Murdock, making his first Victoria appearance, will tangle with Maurice Lachapelle in one half of double main event. Two other newcomers, Lee Meers and Dale Kiser, meet in other. Pierre Lebrele and Bud Riddell open action in special event at 8:30.

U.S. Sends 128 To Argentine As Token Team

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 24 (UNS).—The first Pan-American Games begin tomorrow in Buenos Aires with the United States cast, not as a hemispheric big brother, but merely as a poor relation.

More than 30 nations will be represented in these American Olympics, which originally were scheduled to be held nine years ago but were postponed by war and political complications.

The U.S. delegation of 128 athletes—spread among 15 events—is dwarfed by Argentina's huge entry of 500 men and women, as well as by large groups from Brazil and Mexico.

The nine-nat U.S. showing is expected in men's track and field where a 25-man entry includes Dick Attlesey, world record holder in the high hurdles, Mel Whitfield, Olympic 200-meter champion, 15-foot pole vaulter Bob Richards, and world shot-put record holder Jim Fuchs.

The games program begins with inaugural ceremonies tomorrow with actual competition starting on Monday and continuing through March 3.

Canadiens Take Rangers 6-2 for Fourth-Place Tie

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts.
Detroit	36	22	12	187	119	84
Toronto	34	23	13	177	142	81
Boston	34	24	12	177	151	80
Montreal	19	31	12	151	174	50
New York	18	34	12	154	202	48
Chicago	15	36	13	141	203	43

Tonight's games, tonight: Detroit at New York, Montreal at Chicago.

Montreal Canadiens broke out in a-scoring rash last night, defeating the New York Rangers 6-2 and sending his season's total to 30 and starting him on his reported bonus of $100 for every goal over 25.

GAVE TROUBLE

The Lach-Richard-Olmstead line gave Rangers trouble all night. Richard missing a hat-trick by a whisker when he lost control of the puck in the final period with Goalie Chuck Rayner at his mercy. His second goal was at the expense of Gerry Plamondon, who replaced Rayner in the Rangers' net in the third period. Plamondon let two goals pass go untouched, thinking it was an icing call. Richard snapped it up and scored easily.

Toronto Maple Leafs climbed within three points of first place by a Detroit by trounncing Boston Bruins 8-2 before 13,290 fans in Maple Leaf Gardens.

Heading the Leafs' scoring display was Defenseman Bill Barilko, who scored twice. His first came on a quick slap shot in the first two minutes of the game and the second tied the count at 3-3 in the second period after the Bruins had tallied twice.

SCORERS: N. YORK 2 G

New York Rangers: Rolfe, Gyle, Mosdell, Kullman, Lewis, Eric Boyes, Blackwell, O'Connor, Ryan, Ralph, Blake, Hill, Hollett, Lumley, Eaton, Sawchuk, Richer, McIntosh.

Montreal: McNeil, Bouchard, Johnson, Mosdell, Lach, Richard, Olmstead, Fillion, Reeder, Curry, Harmon, Rollins, Mosdell, Mosdell, Olmstead, Lach, Mosdell, Meagher, Curry, Fillion.

First period: 1, Montreal, Olmstead (Lach) 7:11. Penalties: Kyle, Curry, Gyle, Ryan, Lach, Richard, Rollins.

Second period: 2, Montreal, Richard (Lach) 2:38. 3, Montreal, Lach (Olmstead, Curry) 4:11. 4, New York, Blake (Ralph, Eaton) 5:21. 5, New York, Ralph (Blake, Eaton) 8:50. 6, Montreal, Olmstead (Curry, Richard) 9:40. 7, New York, Eaton (Ralph, Blake) 10:16. 8, Montreal, Curry (Olmstead, Richard) 14:40. 9, New York, Ralph (Blake, Eaton) 16:40. 10, Montreal, Richard (Olmstead, Curry) 18:16. Penalties: Toppazzini, Ryan, Ralph, Richard, Olmstead, Johnson, Blake, Eaton.

Third period: 11, Montreal, Richard (Curry, Olmstead) 1:40. 12, Montreal, Mosdell (Richard, Olmstead) 11:12. Penalties: Toppazzini, Ryan, Ralph, Olmstead, Blackwell, Johnson, Blake, Eaton.

TORONTO 8, BOSTON 2

Boston—Gardner, McCarthy, Quackenbush, Schmidt, Schmidt, Schmidt

Good Weather Results In Full Sports Schedule

By BILL PARKER
Belmont High School

Good weather means good times should come next week. Last year Belmont signed an operetta, "Maid of the Mill" and it is hoped this this year's production will prove as popular.

Badminton, a game which has been a full schedule of activities, with sports heading the picture. House games have been preliminary and competition has been sharp. The latest official standings released by Recorder Marion McDonald give Holmes 9 and C in the lead, Hulme, with 15 points each. Holmes is second with 12, and A. Hulme acquire the cellar with 8 points.

Highlight of the sports scene was a senior soccer game with Milnes Landing High at that school. The senior team journeyed to Sooke on Friday afternoon for the match. Beneath a blazing sun, the two teams score in vain to score, but the end result was a 6-6 draw. The game was hard-played, and the action proved exciting to players and fans alike. In this game, as the last, the Milnes Landing defence played superlative soccer, with Goalie Pimlott giving a brilliant show for Holmes, playing in the Belmont nets for the first time played a commendable game, making several neat stops.

ACTION BUGGED

Although there were fortunately no injuries, the game was full of hard, rough action, and it was "touch and go" all the time. The Belmont team thoroughly enjoyed the hospitality of the Milnes Landing crowd, and look forward to making more such occasions.

A look at Belmont's Spring Season preparations showed that preparation is fairly rapid this year. Casting for the play "Party Line" is to be settled on the night of the Senate, has been going on all week, and a formal announcement of the cast will be made shortly.

TO SPONSOR STALL

Students of Belmont will again sponsor a refreshment stall at the Bazaar. Last season, the stall, where sold products of the Industrial Arts and Home Economics classes, was a marked success, and students of these classes are busying with activity in their workshops, preparing the articles which to be sold. Other stalls that should be popular are the Candy Bar, the Home-Cooking Counter, and the Sewing Shop. There will be usual tombola and games, always a hit with the small fry. Tentative date for the Bazaar is May 2.

Financial returns from the Grade X auction, held February 9, amounted to about $9 according to convener Shirley Mesney.

Friday noon-hour was once again brightened by the showing of three films. This weekly series has becomeing a favorite with juniors and senior alike.

COLLECTS FISH

A discussion on hobbies the other noon brought in the name of one of Geoffrey Horner, Langford Lake, a member of the Grade XI class at Belmont. Geof's hobby is collecting tropical fish, and he seems to be quite an authority on the subject. His present collection includes many beautiful and interesting specimen species. Geoffrey has two tanks just now, but he hopes to increase his collection both in quantity and in the size of fish. He views the talk of Mr. Bradsen's Aquarium with high hopes. To most of us at Belmont, fish are fish, but to Geof, they're almost human.

Victoria High Plays Host To Island Tourney Cagers

By JEAN WEBSTER
Victoria High School

'In the first Vancouver Island International Basketball Tournament over held, Victoria High School played host to seven other teams, four of them from Up-Island points. Giving the audience full value for their money, all 11 games were fast and a good brand of basketball was displayed by all of the contenders for the pennants and trophies supplied by The Daily Colonist and The Daily Times.

Individual awards were presented to those players who were selected on the all-star team, as well as a cup to the winning team.

PLAYS UNDER WAY

Directed by Mrs. de Je Mare, "Lost Victory," the V.H.S. entry in the Greater Victoria Schools' Drama Festival, has been cast with Mary Lou Findler, Sylvia Moore, Mary Miller, Patti Wright and Dee Lawson acting the major roles.

Also in the field of dramatics, rehearsals for "Scene and Sensibility" are under way. Working every day after school, the cast has come to mind with the toil. Recently the director, Mr. Mayne, entertained the cast with performances of a five-year-old William. "Versatility is one of the earmarks of the good actor," quoted Mr. Mayne, when questioned about the incident.

PRACTISE DANCES

Under the direction of Miss Bettie Stanley, the dance team can be seen practising every noon hour, in preparation for the forthcoming dance festival and for the 50th anniversary celebrations.

At a recent Club meeting, members listened to the well-known Louis Armstrong "Town Hall" album. "Pennies From Heaven" and "Ain't Misbehavin" proved they were still high on the popularity list.

PHENOMENAL

Phenomenal seemed the word to describe the incident of last week, until the incident was looked into more fully. On the surface, 200 students cheerfully paying a visit to Beacon Hill seemed unbelievable but when the true facts were unearthed, the situation seemed more credible. The main attraction were cheerfully walking out of the class that is on the top floor of that "yet-to-be" with an unquestionable excuse.

Inspiration for the phenomenon last week, the VHS Rugby team suffered a 18-13 defeat from the Boys' Boarding School basketball game. Outstanding for the city team were Barry Cavlanos and Garry Fraser.

Students Attend Meetings Of Christian Fellowship

By HELEN KERNODE
S. J. Willis Junior High School

Recently a new activity has been added to the regular routine on Wednesdays at noon some students of S. J. Willis Junior High meet in the conference room for a meeting of the International Christian Fellowship. About 30 students attend these meetings. At the first meeting, Miss N. Harrison, secretary, and Mr. Sawyer, the speaker, spoke to the group. Miss Harrison is a graduate of the University of Manitoba and is the I.B.C.F. representative for Greater Victoria. These groups are functioning in almost every high school in Victoria.

REPRESENTATIVES

Elections for class representatives to attend Junior Red Cross meetings in the school were held this week. This is another new activity. When representatives meet, they will elect an executive of twelve students, one representative from the Greater Victoria High School Junior Red Cross organizations.

The Valentine party staged for the Grade VII students was very successful, especially from the students' point of view, according to our principal, who complimented the students on their behaviour. The gymnasium was filled with lighthearted students and games with which the senior council representatives assisted the teachers. After refreshments Mr. Crockford, manager, provided entertainment for half an hour. Barbara Whitehead, Gail Ross, the girls' prize games and Bill Woschuk, VII-1 was the major winner.

BOWLING TOURNAMENT

An inter-class table tennis tournament held by Grade VIII-B has been completed, champions Charles Croft defeated Margaret Dedian, VII-2, in the finals. Every student participated and enjoyed it, even though some had not played before.

In the sports field the girls team House 1 leading with 30 points, House III second with 28 points and House II with 16 points. House III is leading the boys' basketball with 72 points, House II follows with 18 and House I has 14. There are extra trophies awarded for their sports list now and every noon hour see a gym crowded with enthusiastic players. In boys' floor hockey House II is leading with 12 points, House III has 11 and House I has 9.

Shipyards in Britain had a total of 330 merchant vessels of 2,844,000 tons gross under construction at the end of 1950. One hundred and eighteen of these ships were for export. The world tonnage of merchant ships under construction at the end of December was 4,600,000, of which British yards accounted for 62.8 per cent.

Election Scheduled Monday

Candidates for Student Presidency Reduced to Three at Victoria College

By BRIAN WHARF
Victoria College

The campaign for the presidency of the 1951-52 student council at Victoria College is now in swing. The race has been narrowed down to three candidates—Mike Sibbald, John Coates and Archie McIntosh—following the action of Bruce Hutchison and Jim Madsen, who decided to drop out of the race at the last minute for personal considerations. Nominations closed February 16 and elections are scheduled for Monday.

On Wednesday noon the International Relations Club was addressed by Miss Patricia Bennet, a second-year student at the college, on "Democracy versus the Atlantic Pact," on account of her impressions gained during her visit to Western Europe last Summer.

REBUILDING

The Italians are rebuilding their country with Marshall Plan aid, and have achieved considerable results. Nevertheless, she found everywhere the poverty as terrible. The Italian Government is trying to combat this ever-present Communist propaganda. In France, however, there are fewer visible signs of propaganda.

An aircraft plant is being erected by Britain, she said, with the present Labor Government.

In conclusion, Miss Bennet noted that the Europeans did not discuss the possibility of another world war, but showed far less apathy than Canadians.

PLAY PRESENTED

Candy Newton, as Mrs. Brandon, a rich and foolish hypochondriac old woman, and Michael Rothery, as Dan, a sly rascal who contrives to score his way into the good graces of Mrs. Brandon, played the leading roles in the College production of "Night Must Fall" in the College auditorium Friday and Saturday evenings.

The play, which lasted for two and a half hours, was too long and to drag a little in the first act, but the most of the cast made up for this with the author's undivided attention. Mr Rutherry and Ken Leighton as a bashful suitor for the hand of Mrs. Brandson's niece, Chris Crayne, played their parts to perfection. Miss Wootton, Margaret Allen as Mrs. Bronson's servant, and Bruce Moore as the maid, weakened otherwise faultless portrayals by speaking in accents which were at times very affected.

ADEQUATE

Eric Sanders as Olivia Grayne, Pat Thomas as the impatient Parlour maid, Dorothy Bishop Foster as the District Nurse, and Alan Gillespie as the local Chief Justice gave wholly adequate performances.

Much credit is due to the director Professor Robert Bolton. This year's production must be ranked among the best to have appeared at the College.

Other students connected with the play were Michael Rothery, stage manager; Brinley Smith, advertising manager; Elizabeth Gibson, wardrobe mistress; Michael Roberts, backstage; Alan Gilchrist, lighting; Brian Allanough, prompter, and Ray Orchard and John Turnbull, stage crew.

Coat-Hangers Admission To Film Show

By JOYCE JOHNSON
Mount Douglas High School

Extra-curricular knowledge was gained by the students this week through the showing of movies.

Monday noon in the auditorium the Grade X students were interesting films, "Travelogue of the Okanagan," "Wind Spoken and Green Pleasant." Each student brought a coat hanger as their price of admission. All of the coat-hangers collected were taken to the YWCA to be used during the Hi-Y Conference this week-end. Eva Weak, Pat Pitt-Brooke, Mary Shavaloun and Peggy Arwick attended the conference as representatives of the club.

SPORT FILM SHOWN

"Crusade of Sport" was shown in the auditorium Wednesday noon in the auditorium. It was one of two pictures that were presented to the city schools by the Victoria Kiwanis Club and proved very interesting and educational.

The table tennis tournament is over, with Robert Hoose winning over Blowns and Douglas. This year's champions have been declared in the junior girls division. V Baum edged out her sister, B Baum, 17-21, 21-16, 21-17, 18-21 and 21-15. The junior boys' title was taken by R. Jones who defeated D. Kalsch, 18-21, 21-18, 21-18 and 21-12. D. Baum came over M. Wood 21-16, 21-18 and 21-17, to take the senior girls' title, while P. Lawrick defeated K. Lum, 21-17, 21-15 and 21-14, to become senior boys' champion. The senior boys' champion went to D. Blake and K. Lum when they defeated P. Leong and O. Ammon.

RUGGY GAME PLAYED

In an exhibition game our Rugby team went down, 16-8 in the "ex-students." The game took place at Saanich Junior High School. Mount ex-students had more "experience." The play was very exciting. Among the ex-students who played were W. Malcolm, Don McGee, Don McGee, B. Dixon, D. Hamilton, D. Clement, D. Walsgin, T. Hobbs, B. Billings, J. Schaefer, B. Hutson and B. Pallion.

In the senior B Rugby division Mount Douglas defeated Mount View, 6-0, and lost to Esquimalt, 6-0. D. Bower and A. Thompson scored two and one tries, respectively, in the former game.

The Junior Douglas' senior girls' basketball team defeated Mount View, 35-0, Monday to gain the right to meet Vic High Golds in a semi-final play-off game next Wednesday. B Hearn paced Mount Douglas with 16 points, while Ivy Isenmann, J. Johnson and M. Wood, scored 12 and 4 points, respectively.

A junior girls' basketball team, composed of Grade IX students, staged an exhibition game against a team composed of Grade VIII students from Doncaster Elementary School last Thursday. The game ended 34-26, with the score in favor of the Doncaster students.

The House scores have advanced with Sikems still in the lead, credit Mrs. Bradsen's aquarium. Fraser is second with 62 points and Douglas third with 71 points.

The town of Rodosto near Istanbul in Turkey is noted for its export of silkworms' eggs.

Corsage Contest Feature

Co-Ed Dance Next Month Top Business of Council

By GAIL O'MARA
Oak Bay High School

The Oak Bay High School Student Council held its February meeting after school Thursday, with Walter Young presiding.

The main topic discussed was the forthcoming co-ed dance to be held Friday evening, March 16. Clothing

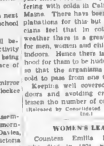
Postage Stamp is Made," narrating as it progressed.

On Thursday morning, a special assembly was held and the students heard a talk by Mr. Bernard Gibbs, A Cavalcade of Sports," sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Victoria and introduced by Mr. McDonald of Lowney's.

In the sport-light, Oak Bay's badminton team hosted Mount View on

Why Colds Are Common

By DR J. B. WARREN



Some years ago an investigation showed that a traffic season of six to eight years were so many persons suffering with colds in California as in Maine. There have been several explanations for this but most physicians feel that it is cold or cooler weather there is a greater tendency for men, women and children to stay indoors. Hence there is more likelihood for them to be huddled together so that the organisms causing the cold to pass from one to another. Keeping is well covered when outdoors and avoiding crowds should lessen the number of colds.

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Some Coaxing Needed

Baby Pictures of Grads Scribe Annual's Feature

By DINAH KERR and MARGARET TREDWELL
Mount View High School

Vying with Ripley's "Believe It or Not" will be baby pictures of our graduating class, which will a feature spot in the Scribe Annual. Most of the students are great ones at coaxing, especially those whose only pictures showed them gracefully reclining on their baby blankets.

Mount View's band concert was successful financially as well as musically. Band leader Mr. Trimbyn still hears music ringing in his ears so that time is played to the tune of $230 almost three times the money collected last year.

Seven classes sold more than 100 per cent of their quota. Room 2 led with 152 per cent.

Each student in the winning room will receive two free theatre tickets and students in the other six rooms will receive one theatre ticket.

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON
"GO AND SHAKE YOUR EARS"

At Lead 200 Years Old

"You may go and shake your ears Spoken to one who has lost his money."

Here is a definition of the old saying about which our correspondent inquires—"Go and shake your ears," as it appears in Ray's old collection of English proverbs. It is the phrase which this little ta satisfy as the explanation of this "modern-sounding" slang. Shakespeare's usage of the words may be interesting

In the play, "Twelfth Night," Shakespeare has Maria answer a threat made by Malvolio in these words: "Go shake your ears." But in his "Julius Caesar" the allusion gains something.

"Julius Caesar."

"Having brought our treasure where we will,
Then take we down his load, and turn him off
Like to the empty ass, to shake his ears."

In this same sense, as a taunt or an expression displeasement and contempt, the words are found in English literature after Shakespeare and before him.

It is in one of the English Letter Books, as certain records by chronicle of olden times were called, that their first recorded usage appears. In this work, dating 1612, by a now forgotten writer named Gerrard, preserved by Britain's antiquarians, one finds this:

"As for gentle M. Gawsey: his mastership may go shake his ears elsewhere."

Girl Hoopsters Keep Winning For Esquimalt

By KITTY DIXON
Esquimalt High School

The Esquimalt High Schools girls' basketball team has done it again! Remaining undefeated this season, the girls defeated Vic College, 12-16, Wednesday at Prasser Street Hall. The team consists of Bev Ross, Bev Douglas, Adelle Douglas, Mary Dobrocky, Jean Joggs, Jeanette Wright, Anne Sinclair, Ann Walters and Ruth Erickson. Mrs L. Clark is coach.

The students will soon be able to purchase a new type of school sweater. The sweaters will be white pullovers with red stripes on the left sleeve.

REFEREE'S SHIRT

The Student Council has recently purchased a black-and-white striped referee's shirt, which will be used by officials in school and inter-house games.

The Australian Club has received a smaller replica of the Cecil Scott Memorial Shield. The sterling silver shield will remain permanently in the school, and will be placed in a position of prominence in the main hall.

MEN RUGBY TILT

On Wednesday the Senior "B" Rugby team continued its winning ways by pounding Mount Douglas, 5-0, at the home field. Laurie Dodd opened the season with a field goal in the first half. Don Palmer added a try in the second half, and Ted Saunders converted.

Tuesday, the Dockers trounced Mount View, 22-17, in a league fixture at Prasser Street Hall.

POLKESTONE, England (CP)—Under this Kent town's system of distributing free coal to needy persons, 121 applicants were over 80 years of age. There were six more than 90 years old.

Choir of Girls Entertains P.-T.A. Council

By FRANK PRESTON and ANNE MILEWSKI
Mt. Newton Junior High School

The girls' choir entertained at the Greater Victoria P.-T.A. Council meeting at the Mt. Newton Junior High School. Two delightful selections were rendered under the direction of Mrs. Gyllenspets and accompanied by Margaret Lund. The choir sang "Because Yours Are You," and "Moonbeams."

A piano solo was very ably performed by Margaret Lund playing "Valse in B" by Rachmaninoff. Dance and Manners of the choir are Elizabeth Hilliard, Joyce Mahon, Barbara Cox, Bernice Loddon, Lorraine Halliday, Anne Mulcahy, Lesley Overlaiker, Betty Pulsen and Anne Milewski.

SEVEN SERIES

Benches have arrived in the volley ball series by defeating North Saanich. The Saanich squad fine style and took two consecutive games on Monday to win the best-out-of-three. The scores were 15-3 and 15-13. The standings of North Saanich and Mt. Newton for the P. N Wright Trophy are tied in basketball and in volleyball, with Mt. Newton leading in the soccer division.

The pong champions were newly crowned after some weeks of tournament. In the doubles tournament, Bob Tolman won out over Ken Curt, and in the senior girls' tennis competition Bernice Loddon defeated Anne Milewski.

The drama club held a meeting during which officers had already were elected. Cliff Campbell, secretary; Peter Woody, manager; Bersy Mitchell and Anne Milewski, properties; Bob Jones, costumes; offsets and lighting, Lorraine Halliday, prompter, and Mrs. Simpson, director. The club has decided on a play they intend to put on for the Drama Festival coming up in April.

Cast of the current play are Bob Campbell, Wendy Anofield, Mary Hoyt and Bernice Liddiard.

The Annual advertising committee has been diligently seeking sponsors for our annual Annual. Some early work also has been started on the stories by various editors.

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EXHIBITIONS
LONDON (May 4—September 30)
South Bank Exhibition
Festival Pleasure Gardens, Battersea Park
Exhibition of Science, South Kensington
Exhibition of Festival Festival, Poplar
Exhibition of Books, Victoria and Albert Museum
GLASGOW (May 28—August 28)
Exhibition of Industrial Power, Kelvin Hall
BELFAST (June 4—August 31)
Ulster Home and Factory Exhibition

FESTIVALS OF THE ARTS
There will be a Special Festival Season of the Arts during May and June in LONDON

Aldeburgh	June 7—August 19
Aldeburgh	May 30—June 8
Bath Festival	May 5—June 20
Bexhill	June 10—17
Cheltenham	June 10—17
Brighton (Regency Festival)	July 28—August 25
Cambridge	July 30—August 10
Canterbury	July 16—August 16
Edinburgh (British Contemporary Music)	July 8—14
Dumfries	June 24—30
Edinburgh (International Festival of Music and Drama)	August 19—September 8
Inverness	June 17—30
Liverpool (Music and the Arts)	July 15—August 11
Llangollen (International Eisteddfod)	June 5—8
Llanwern (Royal National Eisteddfod)	August 6—11
Oxford	June 15—30
Oxford	July 2—18
Perth	May 31—June 10
Perth (The Scottish Cathedrals' Music and Worship)	July 20—23
Stratford-on-Avon (Shakespeare Festival)	April—October
Swansea (Music)	September 10—20
Worthing (Three Choirs Festival)	September 3—7
York	June 2—12

Included in the programme are special events in —

SCOTLAND
Edinburgh Gathering of the Clans and Pipe Marches
Edinburgh Exhibition of 19th Century Scots
Edinburgh Exhibition of Scottish Architecture and Traditional Crafts
Glasgow Exhibition of Contemporary Scotia

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1 BIRTHS

AYCHESON.—To mr. and Mrs. D. L. Aycheson (nee Ann Ferguson), at RJL Lodge, at Charlotte Hospital on February 17, 1951, a daughter, Katherine Rose. Both well.

BOURNE.—To Harold and Dot Bourne, 1066 Hillside Avenue, a son, Robert Douglas, a brother for Brian and Pat.

2 MARRIAGES

BRAITHWAITE-HOCKCLIFFE.—The marriage is announced of Doris Hockcliffe, adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hockcliffe, Victoria, B.C., to Mr. Ronald Braithwaite, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Braithwaite, 20 Milton Street, Victoria, B.C., on Saturday, February 17, 1951, at 7 o'clock, at St. Matthew's Anglican Church, Hull, Yorkshire, England.

WOOD-BROTT.—Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wright, 3668 Cedar Hill Road, announce the marriage of their daughter, Joan Bennett, to Reginald Gordon Wood, Royal Air Force, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wood, which took place in Parkside Church, Portsmouth, on 1941. at 7 p.m., with Rev. Wynn-Jones officiating.

TIDMAS-JOHNSON.—At St. Mathias' Church, February 17, 1951, at 8 p.m., Rev. F. J. W. Tomlin officiated in the marriage of Ann Johnson, daughter of Mr. Stanley Johnson, Forest Road, and Mrs. Johnson, New Washington, to Mr. Ronald Tidmas, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Tidmas, Victoria, and the late Mrs. Tidmas.

3 DEATHS

CLARKE.—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on February 23, 1951, John John, aged 78 years. Late of 1016 Balmoral Road, Victoria, B.C. Born in Cornwall, England. Survived by a cousin, Mrs. Ethel Rowe, of Victoria, B.C. Funeral service will be held at the Chapel of Thos. Hayward & Son, Ltd., Funeral Directors, 1705 Douglas Street, on Tuesday, February 27, at 10 a.m. Rev. Canon G. Rennie officiating, followed by interment in the Ferndale Cemetery.

CLARKSON.—On February 22, 1951, in Victoria, Thomas Albert Clarkson, aged 79 years. In Brief Motes, Oct. and Nov. 1950, Vol. 2, No. 10, page 4. Funeral from Thomas Hayward & Son's Chapel on Monday, at 1.30 p.m. Rev. R. J. Cowling officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

DOUGHTY.—At Cook Lodge Private Nursing Home, on February 16, 1951, Ada Ann Doughty, beloved wife of the late Mr. F. Doughty of 2231 Albion Road, Mon. in her 84th year. Late of Victoria, B.C. Survived by her three sons and daughter of Vancouver and Victoria, B.C., Mr. Frank Doughty, Victoria, B.C., Mr. Ernest Doughty, Victoria, B.C., Mr. Percy and Mrs. Doughty of Vancouver, B.C., Mrs. Ethel Doughty, Victoria, B.C., 16 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren. Funeral service will be held at the Chapel of Thos. Hayward & Son, Ltd., Funeral Directors, 1705 Douglas Street, on Wednesday, February 21, at 2 p.m. Rev. Dr. Pierce Lewis officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

FERLAT.—Florence E. Ferlat, passed away in Victoria, February 19, 1951, at her residence, 1016 Balmoral Road, Victoria, B.C., in her 84th year. Late of Victoria, B.C. Born in Ireland. Survived by one sister, Mrs. G. W. Price, of Victoria, B.C., and one nephew, Mr. Ernest Price, of Victoria, B.C. Funeral service will be held tomorrow, February 26, at 2 p.m., at Thompson Funeral Service.

LAW.—On February 23, 1951, at his home, 1010 Balmoral Road, Victoria, B.C., Alfred Lawrence Law, aged 78 years. Late of Victoria, B.C. Born in Ireland. Survived by his wife, Ethel; one son, Lawrence, of Victoria, B.C.; one daughter, Mrs. Ethel Gillespie, of Victoria, B.C.; one sister, Mrs. Ethel Gillespie, of Victoria, B.C.; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Funeral service will be held at Thompson Funeral Service, 1705 Douglas Street, on Tuesday, February 27, at 2 p.m. Rev. Canon Rennie officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Cemetery.

MULCAHY.—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on February 22, 1951, at the age of 78 years, Bridget Mulcahy, widow of Michael Mulcahy, born in Kingscourt, Ireland, and a resident of Victoria, B.C., for the past 50 years. Survived by her daughter, Mrs. E. L. and T. J. of Victoria, B.C., 2 grandchildren, Mrs. Ann Mulcahy, of Victoria, B.C., and Mrs. Ann Mulcahy, of Kingston, of this city, 17 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren. Funeral service will be held at the Chapel of Thos. H. Ward, Funeral Director, 1625 Douglas St., on Tuesday, February 27, at 2 p.m. Rev. Father Lucas officiating. Interment in the Royal Oak Cemetery.

WILLIAMS.—At Victoria, on Sunday's Morning, February 18, 1951, Mary Agnes Williams, aged 87 years. Late of Victoria, B.C. Born in Victoria. Survived by one son, Percy Williams, of Victoria, B.C., and a grandson, Percy Williams, of Victoria, B.C. Funeral service will be held at the Chapel of Thos. Hayward & Son, Ltd., Funeral Directors, 1705 Douglas Street, on Monday, February 26, at 2 p.m. Rev. Canon Rennie officiating. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

WYNN.—On February 20, 1951, at his residence, 1016 Balmoral Road, Victoria, B.C., Thomas Wynn, aged 81 years. Born in Wales, Great Britain. Survived by his wife, Ann; one son, Thomas, of Victoria, B.C.; Frederick, of Victoria, B.C.; Frank, of Victoria, B.C.; Percy, of Victoria, B.C.; Ernest, of Victoria, B.C.; Arthur, of Victoria, B.C.; Alfred, of Victoria, B.C.; Ernest, of Victoria, B.C.; Mrs. Ann Wynn, of Victoria, B.C.; Mrs. Ann Wynn, of Victoria, B.C.; Mrs. Ann Wynn

Complete Radio Programs for Monday

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6:00 Newscast	Music	C.B.C. News	Bugs & Glug	News	Breakfast Club	Cecil Green
6:15 Music of the Week	Bible Christian	Morning Devotions	Bible	Music	Breakfast Club	Music
6:30 Music of the Week	Dave McGinnis	Lorne Greene	Grand Slam	Jack Dutch Show	Breakfast Club	Baby Sunshine
6:45 Music of the Week	Dave McGinnis	Lorne Greene	Lorne Greene	Dave Gardner	Breakfast Club	At the Air
7:00 Sunny Sunny and Betty	Bert Mustin Ball	C.B.C. News	Sunny Sunny	Music	Breakfast Club	Cecil Green
7:15 Sunny Sunny and Betty	Bert Mustin Ball	Morning Devotions	Bob Cole	Music	Breakfast Club	Cecil Green
7:30 Sunny Sunny and Betty	Bert Mustin Ball	Morning Concert	Morning Music	Bob Cole	Breakfast Club	Bible Christian
7:45 Sunny Sunny and Betty	Bert Mustin Ball	Morning Concert	Our Gal Sunday	Manpower Man	Breakfast Club	Bible Christian
8:00 Sunny Sunny and Betty	Bert Mustin Ball	Morning Concert	Music	Music	Breakfast Club	Cecil Green
8:15 Sunny Sunny and Betty	Bert Mustin Ball	Morning Concert	Morning Music	Morning Music	Breakfast Club	Cecil Green
8:30 Sunny Sunny and Betty	Bert Mustin Ball	Morning Concert	Bobby Gale	Bob Cole	Breakfast Club	Cecil Green
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OAK BAY

Adjacent to Uplands

A beautiful English-style residence, with living-room, fireplace, dining-room, kitchen, breakfast nook, three good size bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, full size basement, gas furnace, garage, fruit trees, lawn, and garden. Terms can be arranged. Price $13,500

OAK BAY

Modern 5-room bungalow, with fireplace, hardwood floors throughout, full size attic, full

Brothers Lose Fight Against Inflation

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind. (AP)—The Eder brothers, who defied inflation three months ago, finally have surrendered. The brothers, Bill and Bud, who own a cafe and grill, had announced in December that every time the price of coffee went up at the grocery store they would cut the price one cent a cup. However, Eders' grill and nine other downtown eating places announced jointly yesterday that coffee has risen to 10c from a cup.

New Army Comedy Coming

Jerry Lewis and Dean Martin have something to sing about in their riotous new Paramount comedy, "At War With the Army," ——— starting tomorrow at the Capitol Theatre.

Take My Word For It

By Frank Colby

TO LOAN OR NOT TO LOAN

Norfolk: Our English class is divided over the use of the word loan as a verb; as, "I shall loan you the money." We'll accept your word for it.—R.M.H.

A. Time was when it was very incorrect to use loan as a verb. The then correct verb was lend, and the past tense was lent, as, I shall lend you the money; the bank lent me the money.

But popular usage finally prevailed. The correctness of the verb to loan is now recognized by practically all modern authorities. I shall loan you the money; the bank loaned me the money.

However, lend and lent are also correct, and many persons prefer them for the verbs, using loan as a noun only: The bank granted me a loan.

Q. I contend that the word take is incorrect in such sentences as "I will take you." Don't take sick. What about it?—H.H.

A. The word take may properly be used in a large number of meanings. But there are certain usages that are frowned on as illiteracies or dialectal by the authorities. A few of the commonest abuses follow:

Avoid: "I hope you don't take sick."

Better say: I hope you don't become sick (or ill).

Avoid: "Leave me take your pencil." There are two errors here.

Better say: Let me borrow your pencil.

Wrong: "He took and bought a car."

Right: He bought a car.

Wrong: "She has taken down with a cold."

Right: She has taken cold. Or: She caught a cold.

Wrong: "I've taken my death of cold."

Right: I have a bad cold.

Wrong: "I'm glad to see that he takes to studying."

Right: I'm glad to see that he takes to study.

Note: Do not say "I, you, he, she, we, they taken." Taken, the past participle of take, should follow has, have, was or were, thus: I, you, we, they have taken; it, he, she has taken; it was taken; they were taken.

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ON VIEW

WED. 9 A.M. to 9 P.M.

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Daily Astrology

By RITA DEL MAR

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1951

Today's Quotation:

"So many gods, so many creeds—
So many paths that wind and wind
While just the art of being kind
Is all the sad world needs."
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Sunday for Everyone: Make the most of what the day offers in the way of opportunities for rest, solving problems, gaining through the resources of others or enjoying some sociability. Be of service to one who needs help.

Look for your birthdata and birthsign below.

March 21 to April 19 (Aries)—Forge firmer ties with others. Participate in undertakings of others.

April 20 to May 20 (Taurus)—Display usefulness. Look for bills or reports that will provide the key to dilemmas.

May 21 to June 20 (Gemini)—Find guidance, relaxation in books and chats. Be with your dear ones.

June 21 to July 22 (Cancer)—Home is a good place for you to be. Catch up on rest; be of service to someone.

July 23 to Aug 23 (Leo) — Set originality to work. Confide views to those whom you trust. See friends and kinfolk.

Aug. 23 to Sept. 22 (Virgo)—Attend to accounts, finances, possessions. Deepen ties with kinfolk. Make safe plans re assets.

Sept. 23 to Oct. 22 (Libra)—Exert yourself to be charming and to win notice. Add to your circle of friends, well wishers.

Oct. 23 to Nov. 21 (Scorpio)—Make this a quiet day; take advantage of auspicious trends to solve problems. Help someone think things out.

Nov. 22 to Dec. 21 (Sagittarius)—Derive enjoyment through cronies and those you love. See friends; get around.

Dec. 22 to Jan. 19 (Capricorn)—Utilize suggestions, tips, useful items. Promote ambitions, dealings with elders.

Jan. 20 to Feb. 18 (Aquarius)—Benefit from the stimulating ideas of pals, family, persons about you. Voice opinions.

Feb. 19 to March 20 (Pisces)—Jot down thoughts that will improve commercial, monetary standing. Catch up with duties.

Planning Ahead: Good for sociability, entertaining, etc.: February 26; March 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1951

Today's Quotation: "All are born to observe order, but let are born to establish it."—Joseph Joubert.

Monday for Everyone: Make progress in connection with educational, travel, progressive interests. Be alert and ready to clear up any confusion or mistakes that may arise.

Look for your birthdate and birthsign below:

March 21 to April 19 (Aries)—Try not to get or convey an erroneous impression concerning reserve at hand. Stress moderation.

April 20 to May 20 (Taurus)—Let a partner or representative attend to pressing affairs if they arise Join forces.

May 21 to June 20 (Gemini)—Swing into action on the job front. Glean rewards by "delivering" useful services, ideas.

June 21 to July 22 (Cancer)—Apply your "bright ideas" to matters that require action. Be progressive to achieve a prized objective.

July 23 to Aug 22 (Leo)—"Get down to cases" without delay; register achievements in your office or "field of action" by evening.

Aug. 22 to Sept. 22 (Virgo)—Try to get to the "seasons of change" today. Add people in your locale to your list of companions.

Sept. 23 to Oct. 22 (Libra)—Have faith in your competence to earn and stimulate trade. Turn your wing to productive ideas.

Oct. 23 to Nov. 21 (Scorpio)—Use your heightened powers of attraction to "put across" your personality and views.

Nov. 22 to Dec. 21 (Sagittarius)—Pull wires "backstage" and through influential contacts if the need arises today.

Dec. 22 to Jan. 19 (Capricorn)—Seek to fulfill your social obligations today. Cultivate persons whose ideas are valuable.

Jan. 20 to Feb. 18 (Aquarius)—Attend to matters involving executives and the business world. Be "above board" in your acts.

Feb. 19 to March 20 (Pisces)—Map your course in "bread and butter interests." Put forth your best concepts and thoughts.

Planning Ahead: Good for sociability, entertaining, etc.: February 26; March 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13.

(Consolidated Feature Features, Inc.)

Protest Renewed On Banned Consul

LONDON, Feb. 24 (AP)—Britain has sent a second and stronger protest to Communist China over the expulsion of a British Consul from Tsiumeh (Tiliwa), in Sinkiang Province of Western China, the Foreign Office said last night.

The first protest was made early this month after the ouster at Consul George Fox-Holmes last December. Fox-Holmes said he had been thrown out after being told he was a spy. China has not replied to the first protest.

Girl Solves Puzzle Of Runs in Stocking

BREMERHAVEN, Germany, Feb. 24 (Reuters)—A Bremerhaven girl has solved the mystery of the runs in her stocking. They always appeared in the stocking of her right leg. She also felt pains. This week a doctor removed from her leg a needle which had inched through her body for years since she swallowed it as a child.

STONETOWN OUT

Department of Transport officials yesterday reported the weather ship Stonetown is scheduled to dock at Esquimalt at 8 a.m. today, she is returning from a six-week visit on weather stations Peter and Able west of Victoria.

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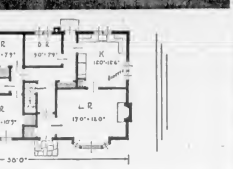

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That means, for one thing, that you'll have to find new places for storage. There are probably several idle spaces in your home that could be put to work. How about under the stairs? If your's is a two-story house with basement you'll have at least two under-the-stairway possibilities. The main floor area can be used for clothing storage by merely putting rods and hangers in it . . . or it can be used for linen storage by installing shelves. The basement space under the stairs, closed in and fitted with shelves, will hold your Victory-garden canning efforts . . . or it can be the resting place for screens and storm doors.

Ever use the ceiling as storage space? In the basement, for example, you can use it to store the screens and storm windows. Make simple frame racks large enough to hold the screens you need, and attach it to the ceiling joists. Such a rack keeps the screens away from the floor and up in the relatively dry air of the ceiling. Your first floor closet crowded? No place for shoes? Use the basement ceiling again. Cut a hole in the floor of your closet, then build a box between the joists thus exposed. Cover the hole with hinged cover and there's your shoe storage, out of sight, and from under foot. In any crowded room a ceiling shelf or cabinet, like those installed over the sink in the kitchen will save your precious floor space but give you equally precious storage space.

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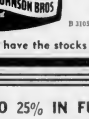

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"Frostbites" Hold Races Here

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Total of 19 small "Frostbites," including those pictured, took part in special races conducted off Royal Victoria Yacht Club yesterday afternoon. Six Vancouver vessels competed with like number of Victoria entries. City yachtsmen are showing keen interest in small sailing craft —each nine feet in length and made of moulded plywood.

"Frostbites" Brave Bad Weather In Victoria-Vancouver Competition

—MARINE AND TRAVEL NEWS—

The weatherman threw almost everything he had over Cadboro Bay yesterday afternoon as members of the Vancouver and Victoria Yacht Clubs staged the opening session of a "Frostbite" race program.

Six vessels from each club participated. Mainland entries were brought here aboard flat 130-foot yacht LaRiverie, owned by Harold Jones of Vancouver.

Late arrival of some of the Victoria members, combined with a sudden heavy rain, delayed starting of the races for about an hour. Three events were held yesterday, and two more will be run off today, starting at 10 a.m. That will complete the first half of the contest, for which the winning team will receive a special perpetual trophy presented by H. A. Wallace, commodore of the local yachting group.

This afternoon, the Vancouver vessels, and the Victoria craft, will be loaded onto the LaRiverie and returned to Vancouver. Next weekend the second half of the event will be staged off the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club.

His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Clarence Wallace was on hand yesterday to witness the start of the races.

A handful of Yacht Club members and friends were there to see the nine-foot, molded-plywood vessels perform. Equipped only with one mainsail on a 14-foot mast, centerboard, and rudder, the "Frostbites" endureat a thorough test. So did the men who sailed them. There were many sudden gusts as the "bites" skimmed over ruffled waters of the mile-and-a-half course.

Results of yesterday's races in the overall picture, Vancouver took top honors with a grand total of 113¾ points, compared with Victoria's 107.

First race: Robert Day, Vancouver; Ned Ash, Victoria; Cmdr. J. Davis.

Second race: P. Miller, Vancouver; Robert Day, Vancouver; Ned Ash, Victoria.

Third race: T. J. Whitcroft, Vancouver; Ned Ash, Victoria; Cmdr. J. Davis, Victoria.

The third race provided the most excitement. Sudden gusts caused some of the vessels to capsize, and others were filled with water.

Victoria Harbor Official Writes Book on Farming

Book reviewers in Canada will soon be featuring the story of a master mariner—now deputy harbor master in Victoria—who spent 25 years at sea and then wrote a successful book about farming—on order.

He also persuaded the Department of Veterans' Affairs to finance the book under its "awaiting returns" benefits.

It was his first attempt at the writing game.

The mariner, Scottish-born and educated Cmdr. Alistair I. Mackay, said yesterday he wrote "Farming and Gardening in the Bible" after the Rodale Press in the United States asked first for an article, then a pamphlet, and finally a full-sized book on the subject.

CMDR. ALISTAIR I. MACKAY

The book is already in its second printing in the United States. It will go on sale in Canada next month through McClelland & Stewart, Toronto publishers.

No light reading "Farming and Gardening in the Bible" was practically written in order for organic gardeners" in the United States and Canada.

Cmdr Mackay described them as fanatically interested in the subject. He said a magazine devoted to organic farming and gardening had almost 100,000 circulation.

Organic farming he described roughly as farming without use of chemical fertilizers.

The Victoria mariner-author was in the R.C.N. (R.) during the last war and commanded a corvette for two years.

Before that he was a chief officer and master on merchant ships and passenger ships, including Canadian National vessels on the West Indies run.

He got his start in writing when he went to visit a sea-time acquaintance who had become associate editor of Rodale Press.

The publisher of the company told him he should write, Cmdr. Mackay said, and suggested articles on the organic farming he was just beginning to study on the farm he had bought near Maple Bay, after the war.

He first wrote an article bearing on farming in ancient Greek and Babylonian times. The publisher suggested the subject could be enlarged to pamphlet size. Then he asked for the book.

This is here the D.V.A. came in. The local office, faced with the commander's contract to write the book, agreed to finance him for one year. The venture is apparently a success.

The new author said he got his material by abstracting every word on agriculture from Young's "Concordance of the Bible" and checking it in dictionaries and other source books—300 in all.

Now he is going to write another book on "Ships and Seafarers in the Bible." He thinks he may have an easier time on the research for this one.

But he asked for a little mention of the fact he would like to meet a scholar "with a Greek and Hebrew library" to help him dig out the stories to says are often almost hidden in Biblical terms.

Undersea Hunt Goes On For Crashed Light Plane

Swirling waters off the entrance to Esquimalt Harbor continue to hold the small Fleet Cadet aircraft and its two occupants who died in a crash into the sea last Wednesday afternoon.

Up to late yesterday afternoon the minesweeper Sault Ste Marie operating with special electronics equipment, had failed to locate the missing plane—believed to be resting on a clay bottom between 120 and 150 fathoms.

The crash is expected to be in the hands of R. Carter Guest, district inspector of air regulations for the Department of Transport, in Vancouver.

NAVY CRUISER

In the plane, owned by the Victoria Flying Club, were Lieut. Ian Macdonald and Lieut. Marcel Champagne—both of the cruiser Ontario. Their aircraft crashed into the sea a short distance from the cruiser as the latter was returning to Esquimalt following a sea burial of Commodore George R. Miles.

It is possible—according to several aircraft authorities, that air disturbances caused by the moving warship might have contributed to the crash.

Mr. Guest, in a telephone interview yesterday, declined to make any statement in connection with the cause of the crash. When all the available facts have been gathered, he said, the report will be sent in to the Minister of Transport. "It will be up to him to make any public announcement."

Paraguay has no seaboard being bounded by Bolivia, Brazil and Argentina.

DARTFORD Kent, England (C.P.) Youthful patrons of a movie house here asked whether they would like to be Tarzan of the Ages. One 14-year-old replied he would. "Because Tarzan is away from the civilized world."

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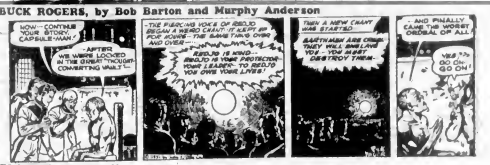

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Night steaming exercises in navigation, boat drill and tests in lookout duties and seamanship will be carried out during the cruise.

As an added training feature on the trip the reserve sailors will carry out a short cruise aboard the minesweepers whaler.

EARLY START

About four hours before the ship is scheduled to leave Seattle the whaler will be lowered for a cruise and a crew will set sail for Victoria.

Later, the Sault Ste Marie will sail from the United States port, overtake the whaler somewhere in Admiralty Inlet, tow it aboard and continue on to Victoria.

The scheme is designed to give the reserve sailors experience in an open boat and make them familiar with the small craft in open water.

During the cruise crew recruits to the ship will undergo tests in various phases of naval training taken during the Winter.

The ship will sail at 7.30 p.m. and a bus will leave the city scales at 7 p.m. to take the men to the Dockyard.

Four Victorians Honored By B.C. Red Cross Group

Four Victorians have been named honorary vice-president of the British Columbia division of the Canadian Red Cross Society for 1951. C.B., C.M.G., Adm. J. Grimpen; Nor. C.B., C.M.G., Mrs. A. Cassidy; Norman A. Yarrow and Stewart O. Chave.

His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Clarence Wallace was named honorary president and Mrs. Wallace, an honorary vice-president.

Elected president was William McDonald, of Vancouver.

Other Victoria officers are Col. J. Q. Gillan, C.B.E., one of the three vice-presidents; Col. R. W. Turner, O.B.E., C.D., honorary secretary, Mrs. W. B. Nelson, re-elected member, Dr. Olga Jardine and Ernest Heybroke, regional representatives for Victoria.

Col. R. S. Worsley, M.C., Cobble Island regional representative.

Lee J. Cobb Starred In Fast, Thin Movie

REVIEWS OF CITY MOVIES—

By RON BAIRD

A vague study in human weakness is just about the closest way to describe THE MAN WHO CHEATED HIMSELF (Jack L. Warner Production).

Unfortunately, this fast-paced but full of a veteran police lieutenant, Lee J. Cobb, who shields a never really gets down to the basic essential of motivation for his act.

Why, considering the circumstances, an honest law officer should risk his career and possibly his life, for the benefit of a rather shaky romance as pictured, is never fully explained.

MUDDLES CLICHÉS

Cobb, a more than competent player, sets out to muddle the clues in this crime with his eager young brother (John Dall), a rookie detective recently promoted from a waterfront beat, starts unscramble the evidence knowing that the man he follows is behind the crime.

Jane Wyatt, as Cobb's girl-friend, is a thin-lipped woman with obvious distaste for the husband she shoots, the possessor of a more than liberal bank account and a detached air to the romantic angle with the pitiby police lieutenant.

Once gets the idea, almost at the beginning of this piece, that Cobb isn't going to be on the receiving end of the lady's affections for very long—a point well proven at the film's conclusion when she tosses him aside for her lawyer on the understanding that he get her off scot-free.

BRIGHT APPROACH

John Dall is highly supposed to his role of the clean-cut and eager rookie detective and character actor Cobb's strong help out considerably.

A tense climax through a deserted army barracks at the picture's conclusion tring to light some very good camera work.

Like the title, the picture chanted itself by its own shallow manner of presentation.

On the same bill is what looks like a re-release of an older movie.

HAPPY LAND stars Don Ameche and Harry Carey in the story of a family, shown by flashbacks after the news of the death of America's son in the war.

It's a rather pleasant story and quite ably told in a simple manner.

ELSEWHERE AND ENJOYABLE

JOAN OF ARC—Ingrid Bergman as the Maid of Orleans, ably supported by a large and capable cast.

THE GREAT MANHUNT—Pulitzer Prize winner to the mythical Balzan State of Vosnia. Carla Douglas Fujimoto, 19, as an American tourist caught in the toils of the state machine.

HAPPIEST DAYS OF YOUR LIFE—Very funny farce based on concerning the hilarious mishap that occurs when two schools take over the same building.

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Gallery Plans Demonstration Of Gilding Art

Walter Jenne will give a talk on the art of gilding and picture restoring at the Arts Centre, 823 Broughton Street, Tuesday at 8 p.m.

He will demonstrate oil gilding, water gilding, matt and burnish gilding. Matt gilding calls for two layers of gold leaf; burnish gilding is one layer of gold leaf polished with an agate tool.

The art of gilding was extensively practiced by the ancient Greeks and Romans and their methods are similar to those used today.

The program will include a talk on the repairing of damaged ornate frames and some tips on the care of oil paintings.

Mr. Jenne served seven years as an apprentice with the late James Stanley Johnston, carver, gilder and picture restorer of Church Street, Swansea, South Wales. He continued this work as a hobby for many years but has recently returned to it on a full-time basis.

Chairman of the meeting will be S. R. Pinger.

A nominal admission will be charged members and students will be admitted free.

Joins City Firm

A. H. MEASLIP

A. Who has joined firm of Timberlake & Johnson, optometrists. Mr. Measlip graduated from Ontario College of Optometry in 1948 where he obtained the highest scholastic standing in his graduating class and was awarded the gold medal of the Hermann Scholarship. Born in Victoria, he attended Victoria High School and Victoria College before enlisting in the army. He has been practicing in Duncan for the past three years.

City's Total Of Jobless Said Lower

There are fewer unemployed to the Greater Victoria area now than there were during the same period in either of the last two years

C. A. Mudge, city manager for the National Employment Service, said yesterday the number of persons out of work was "considerably lower than at the same time last year, and well below the figure for the same period of 1949."

Despite uncertainty regarding materials, work is being pushed ahead in practically all branches of the construction and wholesale industries.

Families with children have not been able to secure the services of good domestic help, and there is a great increase in opportunities for sales work and office work, but these vacancies require specialized ability and are not easy to fill, Mr. Mudge said.

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Publicity Bureau To Hear Thompson

Former public relations director of the Canadian National Railways and Trans-Canada Air Lines, Walter S. Thompson, will speak at a Wednesday noon luncheon meeting of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Thompson, who retired from his public relations post last Autumn, has made a 10,000-mile trip to the West Indies and the Southern United States.

Afraid to Go Home

Militant Mate Excuse For Man's Shoplifting

A shoplifter with an allegedly militant wife was fined $25 with the option of seven days' imprisonment when he pleaded guilty before Magistrate H. C. Hall in police court yesterday.

The guilty plea was entered by the accused's counsel, James J. Proudfoot.

The lawyer told the court the admitted shoplifter had endeavored to escape from a Safeway store with three pounds of butter in his pocket—without success.

"He spent too much for drinks before he started to fill his wife's shopping list," the lawyer said. "And he was more afraid of facing his wife without the ordered groceries than he was of the possible consequences.

"Hence he got into this difficulty."

Just which pocket the accused put the three pounds of butter is was not disclosed in the evidence.

Choir Concert Well Received

The St. Andrews Presbyterian Church organ fund moved closer to its $20,000 objective Friday evening when a capacity crowd attended a special concert at Robert House.

Put on by the church choir, the concert was arranged by Mrs. W. Hunter and Mrs. C. G. Warren.

The highly entertaining program was designed as a "mock radio program" with variety numbers and appropriate "commercials."

The program was received with great enthusiasm from the crowd with many requests for a repeat performance.

Taking part were Johnny Bell, Ross Cooper, Wilma Paxton, Bob Husband, Bun Trevett, Jim Mathieson, Eey Paulin, Walley Holder, Mary Campbell, Bob Sharpe, Fay Robinson, Wilma Paxton, Buhel Colvin, Margaret Wilmshurst, Mabel Walker, Margaret Radcliffe, Alex Ecker, Gordon Harwood, Jim Reid, Bradley Bell, Mary Campbell, Ray Hunt, Vera Bercier, Jack McKibben and Frank Mitchelln.

Teen-Town Planned In Cobble Hill Area

COBBLE HILL, Feb. 24.—A meeting of young people of the Cobble Hill-Mill Bay districts was held in Cobble Hill elementary school, with a view to forming a Teen-Town. Betty Carden was named secretary and a number of prospective members sent notices. All eligible are invited to attend the next meeting being held in the school early in March, when further plans will be made

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle - - -

ACROSS

1. Dodge
5. Wash saves
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16. Danish territorial division
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26. Bright stylism
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29. Kind of oil
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31. Ease of mind
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36. Impression of
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Capital City Bowling Club dance, Friday, March 2, 1951, Upper Crystal Ballroom.

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Victoria Prayer Group, healing studies, Cathedral Memorial Hall, Wednesday, 2 p.m. Open to all.

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Rummage sale, Doncaster-Cedar Hill P.-T.A., Public Market, March 3.

Announcements

Arts Centre of Greater Victoria, Gallery, 823 Broughton Street. Lecture by Mr. Walter Jenne on "The Art of Gilding Picture Frames and Picture Painting" with demonstrations. Tuesday, February 27, at 8 p.m. Public 25c, members and student free. Current exhibit of paintings by Arthur Lismer will continue up to Thursday. Mr. Jenne is an expert on the care of oil paintings and will offer invaluable advice to students and collectors.

Anniversary tea, auspices Pro Patria L.A., Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., will be held Wednesday, February 28, 2 p.m., at the home of Mrs. G. H. Matthews, 2634 Mt. Stephen Avenue. Tombola, door prize, fortune telling by Mrs. J. Hamer. Everybody welcome

The Eighth Annual Meeting of the Newyork Creek Union will be held Tuesday, February 27, at 8 p.m., Prince Robert House, Uganda room. This is an urgent meeting, all members requested to attend. Short showing of moving pictures, reports and elections.

Schubert Club recital, Wednesday, February 28, 8:15 p.m., Salvation Army Citadel, 757 Pandora Avenue. Soloists: Maisie Carver, soprano, Marjorie Burgess, contralto, guest soloist, Arthur Jackman, baritone. Admission 50c.

Women's Canadian Club, Tuesday, February 27, 2:45 p.m., Empress Hotel Ballroom. Speaker, His Excellency Urho Tuhola, subject "Finland's Independence and Democracy."

National Association of Marine Engineers of Canada Incorporated, Council 8, on March 1 will convey Room 6, 802 Broughton Street. Entrance Lauder Temple. Members take notice.

Please do not forget that Maple Bar at beautiful Maple Bay is open for the Winter. There is no brighter spot for that luncheon and a rubber of bridge after. Phone Duncan 2331.1.

C.C.F. M.L.A. dinner on Friday, March 2, at 6:30 p.m. at Woodworth Hall, Pandora Avenue. Seven C.C.F. House members to speak. Tickets $1.25. Phone G 2124 or G 5843 for reservations.

Tickets for St. David's Day banquet in the Loughleed Banquet Club on March 1 at 7 p.m. may be procured at the Pick 'n Pack Groceteria, 718 Pandora, until Monday evening. Price $1.60, tax included.

Oak Bay Beach Hotel. Our monthly hand-weaving class will be held from February 26 to March 2. Excellent and interesting instruction in our newly decorated studio.

Public Forum Sunday, Feb. 25, 3:30 p.m., 2700 Douglas Street (C.C.F. Hall. Topic "Testing for Alcohol in Content of Car Drivers." Speaker Dr. R. L. McNiven.

Rudolph Williams, ten year landscape gardener in Victoria permar, will again accept commissions as contract. 1806 St. Ann Street. Phone B 6406.

Mr. Louis Firth, well-known hair stylist, is now specializing in the Zotos Field wave, featuring the Gold cut. 738 Yates Street (upstairs). Phone G 5123.

Rummage sale, Hard-of-Hearing Hall, Thursday, March 1, 10 a.m., under auspices Chapter K, P.E.O. Sisterhood.

Salvage collections for Oak Bay School Bay and Uplands. We collect rags, paper, household mattresses. Phone E 3413.

The Strove has three rooms available for rentals, meetings, banquets, dances or wedding receptions. New low rates. Phone E 8021.

The Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anti-Vivisection Society will be held on Monday, February 26, at the Y.W.C.A. at 8 p.m.

The Chalet, Deep Cove, dining room service starting March 1. Chicken Dinners, Devonshire Cream Teas by reservation. Tel. Sidney 83 F.

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With modern furnishings, rugs where some spots I see
Hardly tried. She denies of this instead
A small one-room home with beaten animal floors,
With primitive furnishings, Lord, and no rugs at all.
Bright colours planning this we cannot down
She's here, some day the voice of old things.
Lord, expressing about it, Lord, be—more
Knowing, the sentimentalized time brings—
Just how cherry or death permanent be her eyes
And this is her first home—Wherever You do,
Let everything about it, Lord, be—more
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SMALL TALK

ABOUT BUSINESS

by Syms

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"Woika problem—should I raise the price before the freeze comes?"

"I'm not complaining . . . all my business is with the Pentagon."

Israel Still Arch Villain To Majority of Arabs

CAIRO, Feb. 25 (AP)—To Arab world Israel still is the arch villain.

With few exceptions, Arabs refuse to admit any possibility that the Jewish state is in the Middle East to stay.

It was not Jewish arms that beat them in the Summer of 1948, they maintain, but diplomatic treachery. The Arabs claim they were betrayed by Britain and the United States.

The Arabs argue, too, that Israel lacks a solid economy. They offer as proof that only charity and loans, chiefly from the United States, keep the new state going.

Use of C.C.F. Name On Leaflet Rapped

The Victoria-Oak Bay C.C.F. has condemned the action of the Labor Progressive Party in using the C.C.F. name "C.C.F." on a mimeographed leaflet recently pasted out on the streets here.

The C.C.F. is opposed to the L.P.P., said a statement signed by C.C.F. President Charles Crew and Secretary W. O. Chute, "and regards this activity on a par with their recent attempts to disrupt and to interfere with the internal affairs of the I.W.A."

The C.C.F. voted at the last union convention to support the action of the United Nations in trying to stop aggression in Korea, the statement said.

Controls Bill Ahead

OTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP)—The Commons Friday gave second reading—approved in principle—to a bill giving the Government broad powers to reimpose price, wage and other economic controls.

Opposition members called for immediate use of the powers to halt inflation and the rising cost of living. The Government has indicated that it does not plan any wide use of the control powers in the immediate future.

E. D. Fulton (P.C., Kamloops) said the Government was asking Parliament to surrender to it "enormous" power to deal with the emergency facing the country. He urged the Government to define clearly the powers it plans to use.

Justice Minister Stuart Garson said that if the Government knew precisely what steps were going to be necessary it could have drafted the legislation in different terms.

Stanley Knowles (C.C.F., Winnipeg North Centre) urged immediate use of the powers to halt rising prices.

Biggest Army in Europe, Outside U.S.S.R.

Tito Could Repulse Satellites' Attack, But not if Enemies Had Russian Aid

BELGRADE, Feb. 24 (Reuters)—Informed Yugoslav sources consider Marshal Tito's army—the largest in Europe outside Russia—capable of repulsing the combined forces of her Soviet satellite neighbors.

The 30-division army would not, however, be able to repel the four Russian forces.

But Red Army intervention, these same circles believe, would bring speedy Western reaction and world war. They discount the possibility of a Yugoslav Korea, at least during 1951.

They believe any attack would more likely come as part of a wel-

Faced with the combined forces of Russia and her Southeast European satellites, the Yugoslavs would withdraw into the mountain strongholds in the south. Tito and his partisan guerrilla fighters held out there successfully against twenty-superior Axis forces in the World War.

This would mean abandoning Belgrade and the country's breadbasket. Continued survival would depend on support in arms and supplies from the West.

SPEED-UP

Further, satellite rearmament with Russian aid is advancing rapidly, while that of Yugoslavia, which relies on its own small armaments industry, is falling slightly.

At present, the two sides are about level, but eventually the satellites will be ahead. Optimistic Western observers set the deadline at between one and two years.

Present Yugoslav forces are believed to total about 400,000 men. Full mobilization would raise that to about 800,000.

Tito estimates Bulgaria, Rumania

mobilization might more than double this figure. Albania, the smallest of the Soviet satellites, would produce another 40,000 men.

The Yugoslav Army's main weakness is armament. It possesses only a hotch-potch of wartime German, Soviet and Allied weapons and equipment.

Plans Series On Indians

PRESCOTT, Ont., Feb. 24 (CP)—Norris Portier has an ambitious hobby. He intends to model a complete set of the various tribes of Canadian Indians. He has already filled two rooms with cases of the figures, which are made with a special clay that he concocted himself.

Nature's first line of defence against soil erosion is the vegetation which covers the earth.

Racing Results, Entries

At Hialeah

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs.
Bonita Belle 121 Guimet 119
Cloud 121 Bolo Beating 119
Springline Ranch 121 Bunnie Boch 119
Ancient 119 Bandolero 119
Alvarez Arroyo 119 Gentle Kim 119
Gator Lack 119 Prom 119
Ruffin 119 Great Gift 119
Jesse Lynn 119 Mathematic 119

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs.
Mount Ada 121 Bold Ruler 121
Wrack 121 Bate Jewel 121
Rippling Hill 121 Lock's Drive 121
Bright Ray 121 Ruffin 121
Trinity Hill 121 Wrack 121
Self Pollution 118 Wrinkel 121
Jet Propulsion 118 Ace Valet 121

THIRD RACE—Mile and one-quarter.
Wrestle 118 Lotus 118
Dom II 118 Rose Bed 118
Tom Somers 118 Lady Ridgewell 118
Black Deed 118 Rose Marine 118
Ocean Breeze 118 Ruffin 118
Steven Cohoon 118 Shakedown 118
Maverick 125 Prom 118

FOURTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth.
Morvin 111 Cloud, Cry 111
Ruffin 111 Lock 111
Lady Indian 111 Bold Ruler 111
Infinitude 111 Lotus 111
Dancing Gold 108 Cadrion Rebel 111
David Sennett 111 Jullus 111
Gender Hill 111

FIFTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.
Gerard 118 Bright Boy 118
Fidelos 118 Bottle Boss 118
Ocean Breeze 118 Mr. Jimmy 118
Wrack 118 Mister Gloom 118
Cosmo 118 Dream Boss 118
Fast Gold 118 Mathematic 118
Expert Oil 118 Hightide 118
Eldon 118 Hurry 118
Thoroughly 118 Hoop 118

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.
Wood Mortars 111 Irish Gamel 111
Thinly Veneered 111 Lotus 111

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth.
Prom 108 Cotrocion 108
Phaze's 108 Mistletoe 108
Ruffin 108 Hawkwell 108
Ancient 108 Hawkwell Boy 108
Air Relief 108 Hurry 108
Mathematic 108 Hoop 108

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs.
Fairness 111 Bakery 111
Sweep Away 111 Starting 111
Ruffin 111 Ruffin 111
Sir Ken 111 Peter Lad 111
Rob Peters 108 Fair Golden 108

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.
White Tree 118 Cadrion 118
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Wrack 118 Star Time 118
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At Santa Anita

FIRST RACE—
Blaine (Blunkall) 118.80 10.80 5.40
Ed Lee (Gentry) 5.40
Lexington (Gentry) 3.60
Time, 1:10 3

SECOND RACE—
Trolley (Hirschfeld) 113.40 13.40 7.40
Ancestor (Gentry) 5.80
Jill's Jewel (Longden) 3.20
Time, 1:11

THIRD RACE—
Blue Leo (Westfrom) 60.80 15.20 5.
Mount Ada (Longden) 11.80 5.20
Tout Chief (Hernandez) 3.80
Time 1:11 2

FOURTH RACE—
Curb Reward (Hernandez) 16.80 10.20 5.20
Rippling Ring (Westfrom) 8.70 3.20
Fizz Boy (Anderson) 3.80
Time, 1:44 4

FIFTH RACE—
Tom Kirk (Westfrom) 27.70 11.50 6.40
Tuscan Gold (Gentry) 7.30 4.20
Ruffian (Hirsch) 3.70
Time, 1:11 4

SIXTH RACE—
Bonnie's Parade (Arcaro) 10.00 12.40 6.40
Ancestor (Longden) 4.10 3.60
Mount Ada (Longden) 3.80
Time, 1:11 4

SEVENTH RACE—
Star Boss (Martinez) 133.40 40.20 16.20
Wrack (Longden) 9.80 5.20
Mistletoe (Gentry) 3.20
Time, 1:11 4

EIGHTH RACE—
Star Boss (Martinez) 133.40 40.20 16.20
Wrack (Longden) 9.80 5.20
Mistletoe (Gentry) 3.20
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Gelardi's Selections

AT HIALEAH

1. Jesus Break, Cloth, Always Agree.
2. Marine Ace Beach Ride, Francis, Arabel, Lotus, Boss II.
3. Ruffin, Lock's Drive, Gallopstant.
4. Beach Boss, Thoroughly, Crown.
5. Blue Trinity Reward, Royal Mariana, Blunkett, Lawrence, Cry Vanity.
6. Fairness, Sweep Away, Ruffin.
7. Cotrocion, Sunny Co C, Bishop B, Bad Bel—Peter Lad.

DARBAWN PARK

1. High Super, Jan Brown P.
2. Shining Lady, Grandma Max, Lady Ann.
3. Gaylord, Joy II, Sea Phantom.
4. Dual Fidelon, Primely Bonds, Sale at Sea.
5. Scottish, Clear Kim.
6. Bonnie Bee, Lady Bee, Tudor Relgh, Kandan, Fleeth Advance, The Marlin.
7. Dash, Gwen C, May Day.
8. Bad Bel—Ruffian.

Fair Grounds

FIRST RACE—
Three Bell (Gilchant) 17.00 8.40 27.20
Ruffian (Hirsch) 3.80 3.20
Gold King (Pantelis) 3.20
Time, 1:11

SECOND RACE—
Mr. Gerald (Gilchant) 110.00 34.00 40.00
Mrs. Valentine (Gelman) 4.60 3.80
Sir Gaylord (Hernandez) 3.20
Jerkwater Jean, Brown Lady, Pair Revenge, A Henry, Little X.
Time, 1:11

THIRD RACE—
Cocoanut (Bailey) 19.20 12.40 10.40
Ancestor (Longden) 5.20 4.20
Indian Joe (Gilchant) 3.20
Time, 1:11

FOURTH RACE—
Jack Way (Bailey) 10.20 10.00 12.40
Delmonte (Bailey) 6.00 5.80
Vinemaia (Cole) 3.20
Time, 1:11

FIFTH RACE—
Bonnie Bee (Pantelis) 10.00 10.00 11.00
Royal Guard (Turner) 6.00 4.00
Lady Peggy (Wilson) 3.20
Time, 1:11

SIXTH RACE—
Wrinkle Bar (Anderson) 110.00 30.00 37.00
Ruffian (Hirsch) 3.00 2.60
Bucketts (Gomez) 2.20
Time, 1:01

SEVENTH RACE—
Money Money (Church) 80.00 23.00 14.00
Ruffian (Hirsch) 3.00 2.60
Sunny C (Gomez) 2.20
Time, 1:01

EIGHTH RACE—
Sudden Pal (Gomez) 6.00 3.20 2.20
Bugle (Wilson) 4.00 2.80
Lady Ann (Cook) 2.20
Time, 1:11

NINTH RACE—
Sweep Thrown 110.00 60.00 27.00
Plotty (Cook) 4.00 3.20
Ruffian (Hirsch) 2.80
Time, 1:11

Psalms Reviser Dies in Toronto

TORONTO, Feb. 24 (CP)—Dr. William Robert Taylor, 68, principal of University College, died suddenly at his home last night.

A member of the Committee of the American Revised Version of the Bible, his revision of the Psalms is included in a new edition of the Old Testament to be published this year. He was born at Port Dover, Ont. Dr. Taylor became the first professor of Old Testament languages and literature at Westminster Hall, Vancouver, in 1914.

Four years later he became professor of Semitic languages at the University of Toronto, accepting the post of principal of University College in 1946. Survivors include his widow, the former Helen Perry MacKay, a son, and a daughter.

Tides at Victoria

FEBRUARY

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12	12 00	7.0	6 45	6.5	7 15	6.8	7 45	6.7
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23	8 15	9.2	5 15	5.6	5 45	5.6	6 15	5.6
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VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1951

TWENTY-FOUR PAGES

Spring, with its longer days, always seems to arrive with the income tax.

Cameron Lake and Courtenay Death Cars Pictured

The dead Walker family are inside this automobile, just recovered from Cameron Lake by R.C.M. diver L. S. George Ackerman, shown getting his helmet removed.

Courtenay garage mechanic Denny Geldt is shown cutting through the roof of the automobile which claimed three lives in a plunge off a wharf here early Sunday.

Comox Valley Mourning Six Drowning Victims

Two Cars Recovered; All Dead Identified

The Comox Valley was in mourning today for six of its residents who died in week-end accidents.

Cars plunging into Cameron Lake near Angel Point and the Courtenay River were responsible for the deaths—adding up to one of the worst tragedies in the history of the prosperous Up-Island area.

Dead were:

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker of Courtenay.

Their daughter, believed about 12 years old, whose name was not known last night.

Matthew Bruce Shackleton, about 30, of Comox.

Mrs. Lorraine McCoy, 30, of Cumberland.

George Bridson, about 25, also of Cumberland.

It was first believed that four persons had died in the Cameron Lake accident that occurred Sunday. But when the three bodies were brought to the shore late yesterday afternoon, neighbors identified three from windows lowered the remains of Mr. and Mrs. Walker and the girl.

Navy divers, who started to work at 7.30 p.m. had completed the unpleasant task of raising the car and removing the bodies in exactly 30 minutes. The car was found on a ledge in 60 feet of water 100 feet from shore.

NT ROAD BLAMED

Icy roads were blamed for the tragedy.

At Courtenay early Sunday morning the other car hurtled down Black Street, hit a pile of pipe on the Vancouver Barge Transportation Company wharf and catapulted into 12 feet of water. A tow truck and the Courtenay Fire Department had the car back on the wharf in 45 minutes.

Vivid eyewitness account of the Cameron Lake tragedy was furnished by two Victoria men, F. E. Spence, 2415 Penwood, and D. C. McDowell, 1628 Denman, who were travelling behind the Walkers' blue 1941 sedan.

Mr. Spence, who was driving, said the car ahead apparently braked to get off the right shoulder of the road, skidded completely around twice and then headed for the lake shore backwards, where it slid slowly down the bank into the water.

FLOATED LOG

The car sank while Mr. Spence was trying to float a log out to it in the hope that its occupants would grab hold.

Under the direction of Lieut. Charles Sandiford, R.C.N. Engineer Small, the car was raised yesterday by Navy Diver Leading Seaman G. W. Ackerman.

An inquest will be held in Courtenay today. Mountain View Funeral Home and Stevens Funeral Home took charge of the bodies.

In the Courtenay mishap, eyewitness Lou Neville, night watchman, said the automobile hit the wharf at a speed of about 40 miles per hour, and turned two somersaults before landing on its roof in the water.

Council Warned By Carr

PORT ALBERNI, Feb. 26—Immediate steps to bring legal action against Mayor L. E. Jordan and other members of City Council were threatened in a letter from William Carr, former city storekeeper.

Mr. Carr's letter, read on Monday's council meeting, said his action will be based on charges of "illegal conduct" by the mayor and certain council members.

"You will be notified in due time as to the nature of the charges which I will make and . . . the time and place at which you will have an opportunity to defend yourselves," the letter said.

Another letter from Mr. Carr told council that his petition calling for the resignation of Mayor Jordan and Ald. O. Rolland would not be presented.

"I do not intend to present this petition tonight, or any other night," the letter said. "I fully realize the legal weakness of such a petition, and the unfairness of the presentation to this council.

"For your own information, gentlemen, the petition was circulated for no other purpose than to give the ratepayers of this city an opportunity to express . . . their opinions."

In a prepared statement, Mayor Jordan expressed his opinion of Mr Carr's actions.

He said he was surprised that the petition was not forthcoming. He could only assume that it had not received the support which "Carr and his cohorts" had expected.

"It has been said that Ald Rolland and myself are solely responsible for the present financial position of the city," said the mayor. "Yet we are being held responsible for the mistakes of others—one person for assuming a position not wanted in his office, namely, the former city clerk, and the other person, the prime mover of the petition, who knowingly withheld information from myself and members of the council, and went around broadcasting his knowledge . . . in the guise he was doing it in the interests of the taxpayers.

"Actually, he was only interested in the publicity he would receive without regard to how he obtained it, or at whose expense. The present council is no longer a matter of civic administration, but one of personalities and filthy gossip by a few small, self-seeking group whose main theme is—if I can't rule, let's ruin."

BULLETINS

Safe Stolen

CHILLIWACK, B.C., Feb. 26 (CP).—A steel safe containing $145 was stolen early today by thieves who broke into the Canadian Legion branch here.

Curtail Rubber Use

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 (AP).—The national production authority today announced it will reduce or eliminate the use of natural rubber in about 40,000 products March 1.

Wins Promotion

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26 (CP).—Harry Whelan today was promoted to superintendent of the criminal investigation branch of the Vancouver Police Department. He joined the department in 1927 as a uniform constable.

Fire Defence Refused For District

Central Saanich is definitely on its own as far as fire protection is concerned, Saanich Council decided last night.

In a statement endorsed by the council at a special meeting last night, Reeve Joseph Casey said:

"On no account will the Saanich fire department answer any calls in Central Saanich, with one exception—a call to one of the schools would not be discreditable."

The decision followed receipt of a letter from the Central Saanich municipal clerk refusing the Saanich fire department services after the Saanich council at the rate of $1.000 per month.

Central Saanich will be charged at an hourly rate for any calls made up to now.

Trucker Escapes In Plunge

An 18-year-old Saanich truck driver narrowly escaped death last night when his vehicle plunged 200 feet down a Malahat embankment.

Suffering a possible fractured back and broken leg and in "fairly good" condition in Royal Jubilee Hospital is Lloyd Newton, Regina Avenue.

Newton, who was driving a three-ton truck loaded with four tons of sawdust, failed to make a turn on Tunnel Hill, R.C.M.P. said.

He threw himself out of the cab of the truck before it went over the bank, and Arthur Ball, proprietor of Ball's Roadhouse, nearby, hearing the crash of the vehicle, investigated and phoned police.

Newton, who is employed by the Moncrieffe Fuel Company, Moncrieffe Lake, was taken to hospital in an R.C.M.P. highway patrol car.

Canada Youth Safe at Guam

GUAM, Feb. 27 (Tuesday) (AP).—Twelve ambushed but cheerful survivors of the storm-wrecked Norwegian freighter Florentine arrived on Guam today aboard the U.S. navy tug Takelma.

The group was picked up from an open lifeboat 214 miles south of Iwo Jima.

The captain of the 4,986-ton Florentine and 28 others were picked up by the British freighter Silvermaple last week.

The survivors, who will be held at Guam for disposition by immigration authorities, include Tommy Magnisson, age 17, of Canada.

Wage Demands Made on City Hit $257,380 Total for Year

By GORDON PORRES

Wage demands the city is being asked to grant total a staggering $257,380.

This is the equivalent of about 5½ mills. It doesn't include other increased expenditures such as added school costs, debt charges and superannuation costs.

Individuals are, however, that the city intends to oppose to the limit any wage boosts it feels are not justified.

City policemen, refused wage increases earlier this year, settled for increased superannuation benefits and some minor improvements.

FIREMEN REQUESTS

Firemen, numbering 86, are asking monthly average wage boosts of $50 monthly. If granted, this would cost the city about $54,800.

The smoke-eaters were offered increased superannuation benefits but no salary adjustment. Negotiations have deadlocked and a conciliation board will soon be set up. The board actually can be considered an arbitration board because its findings will be binding. This is because firemen, like policemen, cannot strike under the provisions of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act.

H. W. Davey, K.C., has been named to hint the city's cause in all disputes.

INSIDE STAFF

Members of the city's inside staff, totaling 182, have asked for increases of $18.70 monthly. If granted in full, this would cost the city about $46,700 annually.

There original request was for a $30 monthly increase. Bargaining here, too, has stalemated and a conciliation officer has been named to try and bring about an agreement.

The 200 outside staff workers have asked re-classification of wages and salaries in line with Vancouver City. Average monthly increase, if granted, would be about $15 monthly and would cost the city about $76,000 annually. Negotiations are continuing.

TEACHERS' REQUESTS

Increases in teachers' salaries will cost the city an added $76,000. Greater Victoria School Board has jurisdiction here.

The city's 15 electrical workers have been offered B.C. Electric Railway rate of pay — a boost of about $25 monthly. The electricians, however, made several big concessions which included an option earned their pay. Cost to the city here is about $4,500.

Because of these wage demands and other added expenditures, City Council faces a difficult task in maintaining the present mill rate. It is predicted the "cut-throat committee" on estimates will have to be at its slashing best if a mill rate increase this year is to be avoided.

Allied Drive Staves Off Chinese Counter-Attack

TOKIO, Feb. 27 (Tuesday) (AP).—The impact of a 100,000-man United Nations' drive—spearheaded by the United States 1st Marine Division—appeared today to have delayed a Chinese counter-offensive in Korea.

An attack by four to six Chinese armies has been expected. But an army spokesman on the west-central front said 100,000 Chinese have been shifted into positions of defence.

He said it would require several weeks for the Reds to rebuild for any drive against Allied forces now seeking to knock out all Chinese and North Koreans south of the 38th Parallel.

CANADIANS IN FIGHT

Seven American divisions, along with Canadian, British and other troops, have been identified in the fighting along more than 80 miles of the western and central front.

The U.S. 25th and 2nd Divisions were in the western sector between Seoul and Yangpyong, following the south bank of the Han River.

From Yangpyong the front moves irregularly for about 55 miles to Pangnim. Canadians and Australians of the Commonwealth 27th Brigade, South Korean, Greek, Turks and French troops are fighting along with the American 24th Infantry, 1st Cavalry, 1st Marine and 2nd Infantry Divisions.

In the middle of the fighting front, the veteran Marine division today seized new high ground around the wrecked highway hub of Hoengsong. It is in mountainous Central Korea 44 miles east of Red-held Seoul.

BACK IN LINE

This was the first disclosure of the division in action since its famed fighting withdrawal last December from the Changjin Reservoir.

An army spokesman said there were 40,000 Reds around Hoengsong and north of it.

Other enemy dispositions 10,000 around Yangpyong, at the west end of the central front, 10,000 three north of the Han Wasteland to Seoul, 40,000 in the Uijongbu area North of Seoul.

The Allies' limited offensive has kept going despite torrential rains and muddy roads which made it necessary for planes to air-drop supplies.

Advances up to four miles were made Monday on the central front despite wind-blasted rains and considerable enemy resistance.

Clementis Accused Of Treason

PRAGUE, Feb. 27 (Tuesday) (CP).—Vladimir Clementis, former Czech foreign minister, has been accused of "betraying imperialism" in a speech to representatives of imperialist countries," it was officially disclosed here today.

The announcement was made in the official report of the Czech Communist Party Central Committee February 21 and was released today. The report said Clementis had been arrested and thrown out of the Communist Party and the National Assembly. Clementis is to be tried as a "criminal, saboteur, agent of the imperialists and leading figure in the enemy of the cause of socialism and his own people.

"Deposition of Clementis and the latest result of the investigation prove that . . . we are faced by activities by an organized anti-party gang which, through its separatist and disruptive work, consciously and deliberately sought to weaken the unity of the republic and attempted to maintain within the republic's framework the so-called independent Slovak state . . ." Bratislava said.

VLADIMIR CLEMENTIS

B.C. Not Alone

Saskatchewan Worried By Hospitalization Costs

REGINA, Feb. 26 (CP)—Arnold Loehr, K., Moosomin, said in the Saskatchewan Legislature today that patients admitted to Saskatchewan hospitals should be required to make some payment in addition to their annual hospitalization tax paid under the hospital services plan.

Speaking on the budget debate, Mr. Loehr said if the individual patient contributed even to a small degree" towards hospital costs, it would cut overcrowding.

UP TO THE GOVERNMENT

Until that is done, there would be no remedy for the present situation.

Mr. Loehr said he would issue it to the Government to decide the amount.

If the Government had consulted municipal officials before starting the hospitalization scheme, it would not be in the position it is today, he said.

Price Freeze Seen Unlikely

TORONTO, Feb. 26 (CP)—Trade Minister Howe today intimated that it may be a long, long time before the Government launches a general price freeze in Canada.

For one thing, he was certain Canadians would not stand for "regimentation" by controls even in case of an all-out war. This likely would not happen for another five or ten years—"if ever."

For another, it would not be wise to enforce price controls in Canada "until there is reasonable assurance of price stability in the United States."

Mr. Howe gave his views on Canadian preparedness problems in a wide-ranging 4,000-word address delivered before a southern Canadian and Empire Club meeting.

Hunters Seek Each Other

MONTEBANO, Wash., Feb. 26 (AP).—Two Seattle hunters, each convinced the other was his prey, played hide and seek in the Humphulips logging area north of here Sunday.

Pearson Says Time Not Right For Federation

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP).—The Canadian Government supports the idea of a federal union of three world. External Affairs Minister Lester B. Pearson said tonight.

But the Government believes that any effort to bring about such a federation now would lead to confusion, misunderstanding and possibly disunity.

He spoke in the Commons on a resolution, sponsored by Alistair Stewart (CCF, Winnipeg North) which asked Government support of a convention to discuss the possibility of federal union among the seven original members of the North Atlantic Treaty, the U.S., Britain, France, The Netherlands, Belgium, Luxembourg and Canada.

Mr. Stewart withdrew the resolution after Mr Pearson had spoken. The minister said he hoped the matter would not be put to a vote in case there might be misinterpretation of any division of opinion.

Mr. Pearson said he supported the purposes, principles and idealism that underlined the resolution.

He was not sure, however, that the union would best be implemented through the procedure recommended in the resolution.

Link to Vancouver Vital

P.G.E. Railway Sale Proposed By Member of Government Side

Sale of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway was advocated in legislature yesterday by H. J. Welch (Cth., Comox).

"I believe that financial structure of the P.G.E. should be revamped and that tremendous interest should be written off and charged to colonization," declared Mr. Welch. "It has been suggested by railway experts that if the road were completed into Vancouver and north to Prince George it should have already one at a price of approximately $40,000,000."

The Comox member asserted the Government should build a complete rail link between Vancouver and the hinterland, or the "idea of-of-of" it holds running through West Vancouver.

As the extension of the P.G.E. into Vancouver is so vital to the growth and expansion of our whole North hinterland, I fail to see why the wishes of a few people should act as a deterrent," he stated.

"Out-of-pocket" construction cost of the P.G.E. to date is $22,000,000, declared the member, adding "but with the accrued and compound interest over these many years, the present capital cost of the railway is rated at $142,000,000."

"At North Vancouver we have 36 acres of waterfront property just east of the Lion's Gate bridge which is ideal location for terminal facilities, both for rail and water connection," continued Mr Welch. "These facilities would be invaluable to any prospective purchaser."

Mr Welch declared himself opposed to continuance of freight service by rail and barge and passenger service by ferry between Vancouver and Squamish. He also objected to shelving plans for a connecting rail link by ferry of a road from Vancouver to the rail terminus.

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The Weather

FORECAST

Victoria City—Clear today, becoming cloudy tonight. Little change in temperature. Winds light.

High Today—46.

Sunshine Yesterday—4 hours, 18 minutes.

Rainfall Yesterday—Trace.

COLONIST READINGS

TEMPERATURES	Max.	Min.	Precip. in Inches
Victoria	46	39	Trace
Calgary	34	19	
Edmonton	34	19	
Prince Rupert	44	32	.02
Kamloops	44	17	
Prince George	34	17	
Barkerville	32	13	
Quesnel	34	17	
Kelowna	44	19	
Penticton	44	21	
Nelson	42	23	
Cranbrook	37	23	
Banff	34	17	
Lethbridge	37	23	
Grande Prairie	34	17	
Crowsnest Pass	36	21	
Prince Albert	34	17	
Prince Rupert	44	32	.02
Williams Lake	34	17	
Dawson	34	17	
Vancouver	46	39	.39
Seattle	46	35	
San Francisco	56	45	
Los Angeles	60	48	
Chicago	34	24	.49
New York	44	32	

Pats "Steady as Rocks" In Battle, States Colonel

ON THE CENTRAL FRONT, KOREA, Feb. 26 (CP)—The Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, catching their second wind after [illegible] time today to begin the road back the eighty miles to Canada [illegible] to catch up with them in action.

The Patricias, eager for more fighting two days after an intense three-day battle that cost them [illegible] welcomed the [illegible] and British for the [illegible] especially for [illegible] Australians.

Wherever [illegible] has been made by British [illegible] Canadians, it became clear that they regard [illegible] be fighting as part of an overall allied Canadian formation.

Meanwhile, their commander, Lt.-Col. J. R. Stone, pronounced his men "steady as rocks" after watching their stiff battle against strongly-held Chinese positions on Hill 419 where their One company had returned to the peak of the hill but Stone made a tactical withdrawal when he found himself up against the enemy's main defences.

Casualties, heavy, then and by Chinese grenades rather than small-arms fire, were generally light and most of the wounded are expected to rejoin the unit.

The men's reaction to the news that more Canadians are on the way was sometimes serious, sometimes flippant.

"We're going to be over here to stay. It's good to have them," said Cpl. Roy Rushton of West River, [illegible] the men here longer than we thought.

WELCOMES RELIEF

Pte. Norman Ratcha of Sudbury, Ont., admitted the prospect of more relief.

"We'll be sitting with bayonets," he said. "For example, the other night. When we were cold and tired, the thought of help gave us [illegible].

"We're not a stand-behind-a-counter-war," said Pte. Willie Baker of Corner Brook, Nfld.

And wait until those Van Doos arrive, added Pte. Fred Wells of Edmonton. "They'll put their heads down and drive right through."

IN JOKING MOOD

Maj. Gordon Henderson of Calgary and Capt. Bob Swinton of Vancouver, the regiment, were in a joking mood.

"The poor fellows—they'd better be tough," quipped Henderson. "Incidentally, are they going to relieve us?"

"It'll be good to see them—moving ahead of us," cracked Swinton. "But for the ordinary soldier who just likes to shoot the stuff, Pte. Jack Smith of Midland, Ont., summed it up.

"Boy, we'll we ever be able to tell them war stories," he said.

Says Italian Gave Reds Atom Secrets

DENVER, Feb. 26 (AP)—The publisher of The London Intelligence Digest said in Denver today that Russia's timetable for all-out war has been greatly stepped up by acquiring the services of a turncoat Italian-born atomic scientist.

Kenneth de Courcy said that Bruno Pontecorvo, a cosmic ray specialist, gave Moscow secrets of manufacture of plutonium and then fled to Russia from England.

The publication also has published Russia in Pontecorvo has made World War III likely between 1952 and 1954, De Courcy said.

Record $3,600,000,000 Seen For 1951 Federal Estimates

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP)—The Government's estimates for the 1951-52 fiscal year will be presented to the Commons next week and likely will run between $3,600,000,000 and $3,000,000,000 higher than last year, informed quarters said today.

On this basis, the cost of operating the Government—including a sharply-expanded defence program—probably will total an unprecedented peacetime sum of between $2,100,000,000 and $2,800,000,000.

These annual estimates form the basis of government taxation policy and on the force of the anticipated increase it appears likely that all normal Federal taxation yields will be squeezed for greater yields. Estimates, even the defence budget, [illegible] million dollars.

Whatever tax changes the government plans will be kept secret until the annual budget is brought down in the Commons. There still is no indication when the budget will be introduced. Some observers believe it may be delayed until after the Easter holidays.

For weeks, treasury officials have been trying to pare annual departmental estimates. Non-essential services will be held to a minimum. For example, the Government already has indicated that less money will be available for postal services; urban mail deliveries will be curtailed to one a day instead of two. Less money will be voted for agricultural price support and for public works maintenance and expansion.

Defence Minister Brooke Claxton recent forecast that the defence program would call for expenditures of $1,000,000,000 during the next fiscal year may also be trimmed. Informants intimated that by the time Finance Minister Douglas Abbott got around to tabling the annual estimates, even the defence budget might be reduced by several hundred million dollars.

Liberals Support C.C.F. Proposal To Make Union Dues Tax-Deductible

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP) — Private members took over the floor of the Commons today. Government business was shelved and switched under the House rules to allow non-Government members to bring their legislative proposals before the Chamber.

One of them—which would have allowed trade union dues and similar fees to be deducted from taxable income—was defeated by a vote of [illegible] to [illegible].

The proposal, sponsored by Stanley Knowles, CCF Winnipeg North Centre, called on the Government to allow deductions for all fees necessary to earning the taxpayers livelihood. It specified dues for teachers, organizations and Mr. Knowles said it also was meant to cover similar dues, paid by farmers, engineers, accountants and others.

The Government opposed the change, but it permitted a free vote among its followers and ballotting cut sharply across party lines.

Several Liberals joined the solid backing of the CCF, Progressive Conservative and Social Credit [illegible] for the Knowles proposal. [illegible] also voted for the resolution.

PROTECTION FOR FARMERS

R. E. Anderson (L., Norfolk), proposed a resolution aimed at giving financial protection to farmers delivering produce to plants for processing. Mr. Anderson adjourned the debate on his resolution before it could come to a vote.

Aim of the resolution was to provide legislation which, in the event of failure of a processing plant after farmers had delivered crops to it, would place the farmers among preferred creditors.

In the debate on the taxation resolution, Mr. Knowles said existing law is unfair to contributors, since doctors and lawyers practicing on their own may deduct professional dues from taxable income.

Mr. Knowles said that union dues had to be paid to enable them employees to work. The principle of not taxing this income based would mean a great deal to trade unionists though no gross gain to Federal revenues would be at stake.

Hen Delivers 8½-Ounce Egg

WINDHAM, N.H., Feb. 26 (AP)—The chicken that reputedly laid the country's biggest egg—an 8½-ounce—is dead.

Farm Superintendent Carl McGowan said the bird expired after delivering the giant egg today at the poultry farm of Dr. Henry P. Dearborn of Lawrence, Mass.

The egg measured ten inches around the long way and 8½ inches around the middle. It was delivered by a New Hampshire Red.

Food Talks With Britain "Useful," Says Gardiner

MONTREAL, Feb. 26 (CP)—Agriculture Minister James G. Gardiner said today his series of talks with food officials in the United Kingdom were friendly and useful and that Britain was interested in purchasing quantities of Canadian cheese.

Arriving by Trans-Canada Air Lines he said plans were being discussed by Britain to send a delegation to Canada by the end of the dairy year April 30, to discuss cheese purchases.

"I judge that the British would like to buy feed and bacon from Canada but that she is not willing to pay the prices Canadian farmers require because of current domestic market prices here and in the United States," the minister said.

SEFAA MARKETS

He said Britain was concentrating on regaining her former markets in the sterling area.

He said he couldn't report on the Canadian-British wheat talks, which were attended by Prime Minister Clement Attlee until he had made his report to the Cabinet, probably Wednesday.

Britain might send a delegation to Canada to discuss cheese prospects before the end of the year.

Regarding eggs, Mr. Gardiner said Canada has sent about 36,000,000 and could send more, but Britain's attitude was that Canada was not her egg source before the war and, in view also of her lack of dollars, she had been trying to find eggs in such countries as Denmark and Belgium.

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View Royal Group Elects S. Ward

VIEW ROYAL, Feb. 26—S. Ward was elected president and J. Kerslake re-elected vice-president of the North View Royal Ratepayers' Association at a meeting held in the Strawberry Vale Hall.

Other officers include Mrs. J. Henderson, secretary, and directors R. Preece, J. H. Sedhouse, W. Wilkes, R. C. Henderson and W. Bennett.

Mr. Ward announced the association would unite with the View Royal Community Association in seeking a "closed area for the entire View Royal district against shooting and hunting."

U.S. Soldiers Hurt in Blast Of "Dud" Shell

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Calif., Feb. 26 (CP)—Twenty-two Camp Roberts soldiers were injured today when a "dud" shell exploded among them while they were marching in extended platoon formation near the camp's Rail Garrison.

Nineteen of the injured soldiers were hospitalized. Five were pronounced in critical condition and seven in serious condition. Seven others were less seriously hurt and three were released after treatment for minor wounds.

Camp Roberts authorities believe the explosion was caused by a 60-millimeter mortar shell.

Lt. Edward F. Stewart was in charge of the men when the blast occurred.

He said one of the men picked up the shell believing it to be a harmless dud. But when the man dropped the shell, according to Stewart, it blew up with a roar and scattered fragments over a wide area.

The wounded were given first aid on the spot by medical corpsmen attached to the battalion, then rushed in ambulances to the Camp Roberts Hospital.

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Around Town

Reorganized Planning Group Holds First Meeting Thursday

Victoria's new Town Planning Commission will hold its first meeting at 6:30 p.m. Thursday.

First official action by the new group will be appointment of a chairman.

Mayor Percy George and his Council will attend the inaugural meeting to meet the new commissioners.

At its meeting this afternoon the Council probably will appoint another commissioner in place of Logan Mayhew, who declined an appointment.

Appointment of the new commissioner was required because of the resignation of nine members of the old commission headed by Frederic S. Shaw.

Members of the new board are H. C. Holmes, Ernest Arnott, Mrs. W. F. Macpherd, Hugh Stephens, Fred Manning, J. R. Kingham, Ernest Smith and John Small.

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Victorians don't have to travel to the South seas to see a wealth of colorful and fascinating sea life, said Dr. Clifford Carl yesterday in a talk to the Gyro Club.

The Provincial Museum director presented a half-hour color film which showed many forms of fish life, sea plants and other marine life—all which are found "right on our front doorstep."

Dr. Carl suggested Victoria would be an ideal location for an aquarium. "Here we have all the water needed and any number of most interesting specimens of marine life," he said.

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DROPS APPEAL

Walter Coles yesterday in County Court abandoned his appeal against conviction January 9 in city police court on a charge of careless driving.

C. F. Gregory appeared as counsel for the accused.

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HIT PUNT

Stanley Bate, 14 Leland Apartments, Douglas Street, was treated for knee bruises at Royal Jubilee Hospital after the car he was driving struck a lamppost on Belleville Street near Government Street, early Sunday.

Two other teen-age occupants of the car escaped injury.

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DAMAGE REPORTED

Considerable damage, thought to be the work of juvenile hoodlums, was reported to police over the week-end at the Victoria Theatre Guild, 805 Langham Court, and at the Boy Scout Hall on Chandler Street.

Kitchen and dressing-rooms of the theatre were entered through a rear window. The Scout Hall was entered by the unlocked front door. Nothing was reported missing.

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TO SPEAK HERE

The Divine Art of Living' will be the subject of an address by Mrs. Basil le Labbel of Vancouver, also will speak under the auspices of the Baha'is of Greater Victoria in the Uganda Room of Prince Robert House, Sunday, March 4, at 8 p.m.

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FLYING VISIT

Twenty-six members of Vancouver's Mount Pleasant Lions Club and their wives are scheduled to fly to Victoria next Friday to visit the Victoria Lions. They will be guests at the Lions' Empress Hotel luncheon that day.

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WANT RIGHTS

Greater Victoria Contractors Association yesterday asked the city for permission to set up hoardings on several street corners for the purpose of selling membership tickets.

"It would be a means of assisting this association in its effort to place its finances on a firm footing," wrote an official.

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DEADLINE NEAR

Dog owners have only two days to benefit by the $1 discount on dog licence fees. The discount ends Thursday.

Fines up to $25 are provided for failure to register and licence dogs.

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NO INQUEST

No inquest will be held into the death of Cecil P. Saunders, 44, 1084 Bulford Street, whose body was found floating Saturday in Colquitz River.

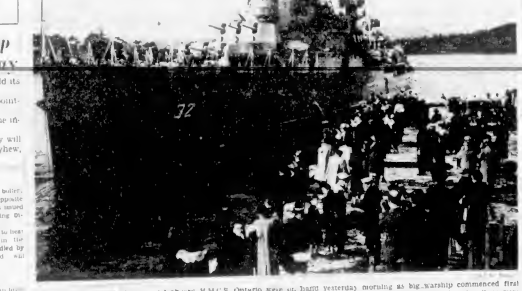
A verdict of death by drowning was returned yesterday by Dr. E. C. Hart, coroner.

Saunders had been missing since January 22. He was last seen walking towards flooded Marigold Park by Eric Elliott and other Saanich police officers aided in recovering he body, found wedged between inches in the creek by William Johnston, 801 Seymour.

GRATEFUL RELIEF—NO MORE PILLS!

"I suffered from constipation for years until I started to eat ALL-BRAN regularly. I have since dropped taking drugs and pills—feel like new old self again. THANKS TO ALL-BRAN!" J. Hoyland, 24 Albany Ave., Orillia, Ont. *And one of many similar letters from* ALL-BRAN *users.* If you need help for constipation due to lack of bulk, simply eat an ounce of crispy ALL-BRAN daily, drink plenty of water. If not completely satisfied after 10 days, return empty carton to Kellogg's, London, Ont. Get DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK!

Many See Ontario's Departure



Families and friends of personnel aboard HMCS Ontario wave off hardly yesterday morning as big warship commenced first leg of training cruise to New Zealand and Australia. Sharp at 10 a.m. gangways were hoisted, bow, stern and spring lines were slipped and 9,060-ton cruiser moved slowly astern, turned, and with bright sunlight glinting on her superstructure, steamed out of harbor.

Sale of Grain Elevator Seen Strong Possibility

By GORDON FORBES

Victoria may have an opportunity this Summer to sell its so-called "white elephant," Ogden Point grain elevator.

There is a strong possibility that the elevator may be purchased by Kerr, Clifford & Company, Inc., of Portland, Ore., the firm which now leases the elevator for $1,000 monthly.

In a telephone conversation yesterday, an official of the American firm told The Colonist purchase of the elevator definitely is under serious consideration.

No decision has been made yet, he added, because Thomas Kerr, head of the company, is out of town for several weeks.

The firm's one-year lease expires April 1, so some positive action is expected before that time. The agreement, however, allows the grain concern an option for a renewal of the lease for a further period.

In addition to paying the city $1,000 monthly for use of the elevator, the company has been paying maintenance costs previously borne by the city. The Portland firm has been storing corn for export in the elevator under customs bond.

Before Kerr, Clifford entered into a lease in 1949, the elevator had been idle for several years. It was estimated the city was paying $1,500 to $1,700 annually in maintenance costs.

The elevator was erected about 20 years ago by Panama Grain Terminals, Ltd. It was designed to hold a minimum 250,000 bushels of wheat and a maximum of 1,500,000 bushels.

Sale of the elevator would give the city a much-needed financial shot in the arm in a year marked by heavy costs.

Defence Chief Applicants Narrowed to Eight Men

Names of eight men still being considered for the position of civil defence co-ordinator for Greater Victoria were learned today.

They are L. O. Hatcher, 734 Yates Street, Col. M. W. Turner, 1084 Yale Street, R. B. Pratt, address unknown, Archibald Douglas Ross, 3149 Quadra Street, William St. Poupore, Rithory, J. B. Walsh, Maple Bay Road, Lt.-Col. George Rickard, RR 4, Victoria, and Capt. R. O. Bishop, 1961 Burdett Avenue.

These eight men will be interviewed Thursday morning by the regional control board at a meeting at the City Hall. They were chosen from a list of 84 applicants.

Details of all the applicants' experience are not available. However, some of them are well-known in the district.

Mr. Poupore, it is known, is a two-war veteran and former battalion major. His last RCAF rank was wing commander. Colonel Turner is president of the Victoria City and District Branch of the Red Cross Society and was formerly with the permanent force. British Army Mr. Hatcher was formerly assistant superintendent of London Transport during the World War.

Six Honored At Banquet In Esquimalt

Boys and Mrs. A. I. Thomas and Esquimalt Mayor Queen Elizey Hay and her mother, Mrs. J. Hay were special guests of the Esquimalt Community Club at its annual banquet.

Also honored at the affair, given Mrs. M. Parker and Mrs. E. Draper, life members of the club.

A brief resumé of the club's record in its 19-year effort to aid the needy and sick of the Esquimalt district was given by the president, Mrs. R. McVie. During this period the club has made donations to the needy, food, flowers and other necessities as well as sending flowers to patients in local hospitals.

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Ontario Leaves on Southern Trip

Cruiser Honors Crash Victims

A note of addition marked the means of electronic equipment mounting on the cruiser Ontario yesterday for a six-month training cruise to Australia and New Zealand.

The big warship gleaming with new paint left Esquimalt at 10 a.m. Outside the harbor entrance she stopped to pay respects to two of her officers who perished when the light plane they were flying crashed into the sea last Wednesday afternoon.

A brief memorial service for the two officers—Lieut. Ian Macdonald and Lieut. Marcel Champagne—was conducted by Protestant Chaplain F. H. Godfrey. Commodore Hugh Pullen, commanding officer, dropped a wreath on the water.

The minesweeper Sault Ste. Marie yesterday continued searching for the Fleet Canuck which took the two men to their deaths. Deep water and strong currents may have shifted the plane. It is possible, too, that the plane has broken up, making detection by under parts, like is due back June 7.

After leaving Brisbane the cruiser will exercise with units of the Australian and New Zealand navies. The ship is carrying many things in addition to her regular complement: 27 junior officers, 96 ordinary seamen of the RCN, 70 members of the RCN Reserve and six Sea Cadets.

Hundreds of relatives and friends of the men were at the jetty to wave farewell.

DAWSIAN INTERLUDE

First stop to be made by the Ontario will be at Pearl Harbor where she will spend two days before proceeding to Suva in the Fiji Islands. Point Suva the ship will sail for Brisbane, Australia, reaching there March 24.

The ship will visit seven down

OPENING

Official opening of the S. J. Willis Junior High School will be at 3 p.m. March 7, the city was informed yesterday.

Student Teachers Back at Lectures

Two hundred and twenty-five students of the Provincial Normal School returned to lectures today after a week-long session of practice teaching in Victoria's elementary and junior high schools.

The students final period of practice teaching will take place in April when they will be placed in rural elementary schools throughout the province and as near to their homes as possible.

CIVIL SERVANTS TO MEET

The Victoria branch of the Amalgamated Civil Servants of Canada will meet Thursday at 8 p.m. in the Joker board room of the Naval Veterans Branch Canadian Legion.

M.L.A. TO SPEAK

A. J. R. Ash, M.L.A., will speak to a regular meeting of B.C. Provincial Civil Servants' Association in Newland Hall, 734 Fort Street, Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

Capt. J. D. Prentice was re-elected president of the Garden City Horticultural Club at its annual meeting at the Monterey.

Other officers elected were: C. E. Williams, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Simpson, Robert Shields, George Melvor and Mrs. B. [illegible] directors.

Lecturer [illegible] on pruning and plants for the month were discussed with Mr. Cavalier giving instruction on [illegible] days and rude.

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Inquests Should Follow Unattended Deaths

WITHOUT reference to any particular instance, but from a study of many of them, the Attorney-General of British Columbia would be well within his rights if he asked coroners everywhere to tighten up on the procedure followed with regard to inquests. There are sound reasons behind the almost traditional practice of holding an official inquiry into the cause of any individual whose death takes place by unnatural means unseen by human witnesses. Not to review the circumstances and place on record the little that may be learned from such an official investigation opens one door to undetected murder; there are sociological and other grounds, having nothing to do with crime, which support the same reasoning. Death, from malnutrition, say, becomes an affair for inquiry at once. Indeed, an unexplained death is always suspicious.

The emphasis is on the word "unexplained." There may be some instances where an individual dies violently and unseen, but with every intention of doing so. Even there the circumstances should be sifted and placed on record. Life is not a little thing, and that its loss can in any sense be ignored. Beyond the explainable, however, there are and will continue to be those fatal occurrences which nobody sees, and where it is by no means safe or wise to assume the answers. The original intent of an inquest was to find out United Nations death occurred, and whom. That has not changed. It will remain an obligation on the state to sift every tragedy about which there could be the smallest doubt, and that primarily for the protection of the living.

The Involuntary Civil Service

MANY a man figuring out his income tax for the year 1950 will discover that last year he worked for nothing for the Government for several weeks or several months, depending on his income and his personal obligations. Taxpayers in their middle years, from whom the statutory exemptions have been whittled away one by one until there are few left, may discover that last year three out of the twelve months were worked for the Government to the exclusion of all else. Weekdays, Sundays and holidays for ninety days is a very considerable bite to take out of any man's year.

The year 1950, by the way, was an "easy" tax year. It followed the let down from higher rates of income taxation in former war years, and was of course still short of the mounting taxation that is to come as a result of a world re-arming by every means in its power. Much higher rates of taxation were assessed in the period 1939-45, and will be again in the next few years ahead. For single persons, except for a statutory subsistence exemption which apparently never heard of the rising cost of living, the extraction has got to the point now where such involuntary service to the state almost makes the individual a civil servant, unpaid.

When Parliament reviews the Government's coming budget it should examine the existing income tax structure—where its restrictive regulations have been pyramided and legislative review has been all too perfunctory—to see if it is a fair basis upon which to impose the coming prepareedness taxation of the immediate future. The present statutory exemptions are much out of line with the cost of living index.

Counting the Enemy Dead and Wounded

A DISPATCH from Korea says that military men there shrink from the mention of enemy casualties. That they might well do, since a farrago of figures that make little sense has streamed constantly from United States 8th Army headquarters or from the Pentagon in Washington. They still keep coming, however.

Over the week-end the American air force headquarters in Tokio announced it has inflicted 100,000 casualties on the enemy since the start of the Korean war. How men in planes managed to count these casualties is not explained. On the same day a United States 8th Army memorandum advised that United Nations ground troops have caused 133,760 enemy casualties from January 17 to February 20 last. Previous communiques from the same source, added together, total 120,171 for approximately the same period. The discrepancy is not explained.

Discrepancy is not the important point about the figures cited. It is their obvious inaccuracy. For example, the figure of 130,760 is said to cover the number of Red soldiers killed, wounded or captured by United Nations forces. Such exactitude belies its own possibility. The enemy does not permit computing parties to enter its lines so that each of its dead or wounded heads may be counted by United Nations forces. Short of this there is no way by which such exactness could be reached.

It is right and proper that enemy casualties should be estimated, and experience can enable a fair proximation to be made. One would expect such guesses to be made in round figures, however, if they are to be accepted as valid. When the practice is made of assessing enemy heads to a single unit it destroys all faith in the communiques being issued on this subject.

"All right, comrade, hand me the sledgehammer."

Thinking Aloud

"... of shoes—and ships—and sealing wax—and cabbages and kings."

By TOM TAYLOR

SO help me I didn't have a thing to do with swiping the Stone of Scone. I was right here all Christmas Eve no. I was in Saanichton, but I can prove it, I hope.

Another thing—I've taken porridge in my day, but alas, I have not the muscle.

Why, there's a big smooth stone lying smack at the foot of my back garden, about two-thirds the size of Jacob's Pillow, and can I move it? Silly question.

Come to think of it, it's almost the right shape, and if the Dean of Westminster wants a good substitute to stick below the Coronation Chair, he can have it.—Lo b. my back yard.

So believe me, I'm innocent. And yet . . .

There comes to my tartan ears the other day, when I was admiring the new tor in the old cornerstone of the new tor is in the old public library building, a remark.

To wit, and from one librarian to another.

"I wonder if Tom Taylor did the Scone Stone in that there hole before it was blocked up?"

And I thought they were my friends!

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Hear ye, then, to the truth of the matter.

The job was stared for years. No kilted johnnie with a loofie in his bonnet and a bald-muchkin in his snorkun, suddenly succumbed to temptation when the Stone was lying—Ah, no. There was a whole gang in on it.

How do I know this?

It wasn't the Dutch claiyoyant who told me. He, you remember, sat in a chair at Scotland Yard and suggested—a la Sherlock Holmes.

Did he say:

"The microcrania, my dear Taylor, were seven in number, always a lucky score. They came from the North, for only the simple mind of the barbarian could envisage such a bold deed. One man, his hadar, limped, having suffered in his youth from hipjoint disease. He stood over there (pointing), as you may notice from the scratches on the wall, indubitable evidence of nervous fingertips. A confederate wore a patch over his right eye—but why go on The case is elementary, my dear Taylor, elementary."

No, of course, he didn't. Conan Doyle is dead.

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It was a lady who told me the secret.

"The true Stone didn't call me up so that I could tell the public library again with an easy conscience, but she sent me a copy of the London Times—or at least somebody did.

And there it is, clear proof that I'm guiltless (except, who knows, in my mind).

Said she—Dr. Mary Ramsay, formse history lecturer at Edinburgh University, at a meeting held to celebrate the return of "the Blarne" to Scotland:

"I would like to say . . . there were accessories before the fact and there are accessories after the fact. The Nationalists have been discussing ways and means of removing the stone for years."

Said one Oliver Brown, killed, at the same meeting: "The stone which is at present in Scotland — where it will remain—has been returned after 664 years in England . . . Although it cannot be shown publicly, it will be an inspiration, etc., etc."

But apparently Scotland Yard, hiring television sets and what not, doesn't believe Dr. Mary.

And that keeps me still a wee bit nervous. Maybe I'd better strengthen my alibi.

Peace hath her illusory reputations no less than war. —GEORGE BERNARD SHAW.

Gerald Waring Reporting From Ottawa

A FEW weeks ago the Government was all set to give Australia and New Zealand a firm "No" on the proposal that Canada help make up the operating deficit of the Royal Mail Ship Aorangi.

She's the aged white liner which plies the placid Pacific between Vancouver and Sydney, the last scheduled steamer operating among the three dominions. I saw her once, from a porthole of a Canadian Pacific airliner which was helping create her deficit. And from 12,000 feet she was a picture of beauty.

But she wasn't. $266,666.66 worth of beauty—which is the amount the Government has now decided to spend to keep her running for another year.

What made the Government change its mind about subsidizing the Aorangi? Sentiment. A second thought that maybe after all it was worth while to maintain this last sea link with the Antipodes, particularly in these uncertain times. And strong pressure from the other two countries.

The Aorangi—a Maori name meaning "cloud pierced," and applied originally to Mount Cook in New Zealand—is the last of three Canadian-Australasian line steamers which have piled the Pacific Commonwealth run almost without interruption since 1883. Last year, due largely to the competition of airliners, which fly in 35 hours the distance she takes three weeks to steam, the Aorangi ran up a deficit of about $400,000.

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The ship's owners announced that unless they got government help they would have to suspend operations. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company, which owns 49 per cent of the line, asked Ottawa to subsidize the Aorangi. Prime Minister Menzies of Australia also supported the subsidy proposal when he was in Ottawa last Fall. But to each, Canada's answer was "No," and the Aorangi was taken off the Vancouver run at the end of December.

Then, at the conference of Commonwealth Prime Ministers in London last month, Menzies spoke to Prime Minister St. Laurent about what a shame it would be to break this Commonwealth link. A couple of weeks later Prime Minister Holland of New Zealand visited Ottawa and also strongly supported the subsidy proposal. At that point Transport Minister Chevrier reluctantly agreed to a Canadian subsidy of two-thirds the estimated deficit of $400,000 if Australia and New Zealand would make up the rest—they agreed to do so.

It wasn't the amount of the subsidy which bothered Chevrier but rather the difficulty of justifying on the grounds of essentially the expenditure of keeping the old ship running. Often she carried fewer passengers than ever, but as I said she makes a pretty picture from 12,000 feet up—Chevrier worries.

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Despite the Aorangi deal Chevrier is a sharp man with whom to do business, as the United States Congress is currently learning. He's suspected, for one thing, of running the biggest bluff the capital has ever seen in many a day by telling the Americans that if they don't come in on the St. Lawrence seaway project Canada will proceed without them. Then Canada could make American shipping on the St. Lawrence and the Great Lakes pay through the nose.

The Americans realize that Chevrier is trying to needle their Senate into action to ratify the seaway treaty but they don't know if that's all. They're not sure its merely a bluff, not sure that if the treaty is again blocked in the United States Senate Canada won't go ahead on her own and leave Washington looking rather foolish. An all-Canadian waterway built along a route already surveyed on the north shore of the St. Lawrence is both physically and financially feasible. Its billion-dollar cost would cost no longer scares Canadians.

Washington's concern over Chevrier's threat came into the open the other day when United States Interior Secretary Chapman told a congressional committee that "Canada is going to build the seaway on her side if we don't," and that then American shipping would have to pay tribute in tolls. If the Congress does obey the seaway, some tribute should be paid, all right—by Canada to Chevrier.

The Packsack

By GREGORY CLARK

SIGNING up for war service and sending the marriage register are something the same for a young man. Both are momentous occasions on which the young man is full of high and holy resolves. But in both cases, the same thing happens. In about a month, he is just his old self again.

At a time like this, there is a pious hope in the heart of the nation at large that the young man will be permanently inspired by patriotism or by the marriage vow.

But what makes up this army, navy and air force in war time is just the rim of the mill of Canadian manhood. What they are in peace, they will be in war.

That is a pretty solid thought. For taking the country at large from east to coast, and including in a swift thumbnail survey the big cities, the towns, villages, the roads, the farms, the backwoods, it appears that Canada is blessed right now with a pretty sound, rugged, level-headed young manhood. For five years, we have passed through a period of industrial and commercial boom. It has been a period of opportunity and action, that has involved the young men, in business, in factory, and on the land. The schools and colleges have been packed, especially the technical and commercial high schools. No period of frustration for the up-coming generation followed the last war, as it did the first. If ever a generation might be expected to stand up for its country, it is this one.

In the two past wars, we had to pick up an anxious and to some extent extant an idle generation—the one after the 1913 depression, the other after the ugly depression years of the thirties—and make the great striking forces from such material.

What we have available at this critical hour is a generation tuned to action. There has been work for them all, so that the process of selection—the hardest feature of defence—has already been done. The first-rate have already been screened from the second-rate. That makes it easier for the sergeants and the officers.

(Canada Wide Feature Service Ltd.)

On the Line

By BOB CONSIDINE

NEW YORK.—Pardon my fascination with the whole question of the A-bomb and what makes it tick. Happen to agree with those who feel that if we didn't have more of these than Russia now has we'd be engaged in history's most exhausting war on the cold shoulder.

The atomic power plant for navy submarines is partly built and its installation of blueprints has been completed. About 80 tons of metal shielding must guard potential A-sub crews from the radiations of the new power plant, whose great advantage will be that it will provide perhaps months or even years of propulsion without refueling.

Considering the appalling dangers that have been filtered with fascinating material, the Atomic Energy Commission's safety record is one of historic importance. Only one death has been traced to work on the A-bomb and its related activities since 1945. The man was among nine scientists and lab workers accidentally exposed to radiation. Two suffered injuries and six others, though still being studied, apparently are okay. Of the five A-workers hurt or ray-burned since 1945, one was injured during the 1946 tests at Eniwetok.

One of the great problems of A-work is protecting workers from radioactive dust, "ashes of nuclear furnaces" and waste products. Very little material, it has been found, must be massively protected from the effects of using part of it to heat the "piles" of the plutonium plant at Hanford, Wash. The "pile" at Brookhaven, on Long Island, is constructed and the air which comes off it is cleansed and freed of particles which upon exposure to the neutrons in a reactor would become radioactive and filter out over the heavily populated countryside.

Clothes worn by workers and contaminated cannot be disposed of by burning. For burning the clothes would not get rid of the poisoned gases within their texture

Letters and Excerpts

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WORKED FOR SEAMEN

Sir,—With the death recently of Miss Jessie Kennedy Peters has passed away one who worked hard throughout the last war for the comfort of our sailors. She had a special gift for leadership and under her a group of ladies living at Rosebank knitted hundreds of pairs of sailing gloves for sailors of minesweepers. Using a design revived by The Missions to Seamen, she introduced this glove to Western Canada, it was known as the Mellor glove on mitt. Other organizations followed her example. I collected these Mellor gloves (some hundreds) and shipped them with jerseys and seaboot stockings to The Missions to Seamen in London. Miss Peters also based all the funds to buy the material for the work.

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DRIVERS' TESTS

Sir,—May I add my views to those already expressed by Sir R. W. Peiter and Mr. Harold Brennan appearing in your columns, both of whose observations relate more particularly to car drivers of advanced years—the group to which I belong? In spite of age we are reputed passed my test with a limitation of speed to 40 m.p.h., which happens to be my usual rate of locomotion, so I make no particular complaint regard to rightness or wrongness of this limitation.

There is a marked tendency today to make motorists the butt of public criticism, but it fails to take into consideration the great and ever-increasing volume of traffic which our unsuitable roads are called upon to carry, narrow ribbons, bribbon and beholed asphalt, blind corners, unbanked bends, all contributing to accidents. I therefore think the performance of motorists generally is highly praiseworthy. As regards accidents, drivers of advanced years are not the chief offenders, the proof of which we find in the fact that insurance companies' premiums are higher for those up to 25 years of age. It therefore seems logical to conclude that, although a natural deterioration must occur with age, a corresponding caution develops to compensate for it.

Mr. Siemann finds elderly drivers "exasperating in many ways." Maybe so, but surely the road furniture is with other irritations and the offenders are not always the old. We have the one-arm driver; the cigarette ash flicker, whose action can make him shake for a stop or turn signal. Then we have the Sunday crawl motorist, and so on, ad nauseam.

Examination of drivers covering as it does a period of little more than half an hour, is necessarily perfunctory and, as regards eye test, unrealistic.

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HOSPITAL INSURANCE

Sir,—I should like to pass on a little hard-won knowledge as a safeguard to others who may be out of the province temporarily.

I was out of British Columbia from August, 1949, to August, 1950. When I returned, I knew that my hospital insurance had lapsed, but thinking it was payable only twice yearly, did not do anything about it until November.

Then I was told that I had been eligible for premium payments since the first of October and had taken from me (without being given coverage) premium payments from October 1 to February 25, almost five months.

Being a retired person trying to weather the present period of extreme inflation, I found this a hardship. Should of course I know my circumstances are irrelevant to the situation.

The point is apparently, hospital insurance is payable four times a year.

J. A. WEIR.

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The Never-Old

They who can smile when others hate,
Not bind the heart with fronts of fate,
They fast will glide with feather bold
The green roads of the Never-Old

They who can let the spirit shore
And keep the heart a lighted shrine
They fast will glide with laughter bold
The green roads of the Never-Old

They who can put the self aside
And in love's saddle loop and ride
They are until see the gates unfold
The green roads of the Never Old

—J. DUNN MARSHAM

Foolish Food Fads

(From The Ottawa Citizen)

THE people of Canada, in the opinion of Professor R. W. McHenry, of the University of Toronto, possess a great many silly notions about food. In a speech to the Health League of Canada, Dr McHenry, who is a specialist in public nutrition, has done some thinking on food fads. Some people think cheese is indigestible, some object to cooking utensils of certain materials such as aluminum, and some think that certain fruits and vegetables should be avoided because of an acid content.

What about the people who have gone in heavy for crude molasses, yogurt, brewers' yeast and wheat germ? "Silly dietary fads," says Dr. McHenry, who is evidently not a man to pull his punches. His remarks should ruffle some of our food faddist enthusiasts. He points out that some people have wrong ideas about food that they gained in childhood and have never been able to overcome. That's not all the wrong ideas that stay with some people throughout a lifetime.

Fun, Fact and Fiction

A Swiss clairvoyant who regularly predicted the world's end at this point was seemingly quiet—and just as he was galing warm.

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The modern child knows all the answers, except those in the examination papers.

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Sir Thomas Beecham's keen wit is evident in the answer made when asked for advice to Britain's young composers. He suggested that these musical geniuses have their works performed in London's famed Albert Hall, as that structure alone would assure them of a second hearing. Beecham was referring to the hall's famous echo.

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Governments are always ready to admit that there are two points of view, their own and the wrong one.

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If Ottawa appears to back away from the inflation problem, it isn't through fear. It's just for a better view—to see how the threatened chaos is shaping up.

Looking Back

Through Colonist Files

25 YEARS AGO—At a Dominion conference of government liquor control commissioners the statement was made that "future generations, when they learn of the high prices we pay for liquor today, may well think we crazy."

50 YEARS AGO — Under the Clothiers' Early Closing By-law, which is to become effective after March 1, the hour of closing will be 7 o'clock in the evening, excepting in the month of December and the evenings preceding public holidays.

85 YEARS AGO — The Territory of Montana presents the anomaly of a community without a legislature or the power to create one. The legislature and executive failed last Winter to continue legislative functions, and in consequence no session can be held until again authorized by Congress.

Possible Negotiation Seen Russian Note Aim

—INTERPRETING THE NEWS—

A.P. News Analyst

Russia's claim that she has no more troops in the field than in 1939 may be correct. The impression she tries to leave by it is totally false.

The U.S. Senate Foreign Relations Committee has estimated that Russia has at any of its divisions.

Joseph Stalin himself has said that Russia had 140 divisions at the outbreak of the world war. That would be around 1,000,000 men. In her latest note to Britain, Russia claims to have less than half the troops maintained by the Atlantic Pact nations, which Moscow estimates at 1,000,000. The Russian committee estimated 4,500,000 for the Axis.

But what Russia doesn't say is that, like the Chinese Communists, her available force is practically doubled by the presence of what in other countries would be called militia.

In actual fighting strength, by Stalin's own traditional yardstick, he replaced it to Harry Hopkins, the late United States presidential adviser.

Within one month of the time Hitler struck in 1941, Russia put 240 divisions in to the front and had 220 more forming. In July, 1941, Stalin told Hopkins that he would have 350 divisions in line by May, 1942. There is evidence that he did so.

If Russia admits to 2,500,000 men in her army, then it's a cinch that with satellite, and world war reserves, she is prepared for the greatest mobilization in the history of the world.

So much for the military argument. It was not the prime point of Moscow's note to London. It is designed to further the real point, which is to create doubt in Europe of Russia's warlike intentions, and so encourage that faction of British and European thinking which feels the United States is pushing her allies too rapidly and perhaps unnecessarily along the road to rearmament.

POSSIBLE NEGOTIATION

It is possible to interpret the note's general tenor as one of willingness to discuss the general level of arms, perhaps in the already-proposed four-power conference.

It is also possible to interpret it as an invitation for Britain to split away from the United States and enter into bilateral negotiations with Russia.

There is also a noticeable deterrent air about the note. Not enough to warrant optimism that there is any Russian backdown in the offing but enough to put allied diplomats on the alert to the possibility that something might be gained by careful negotiation.

Liberals Meet To Plan Out Year's Policy

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP).—The National Liberal Federation met today to chart party policy for the coming year.

Nearly 300 delegates from the ten provinces gathered here to open the three-day annual meeting of the federation's advisory council, the Liberal party's policy-making body.

Committees were formed in the preliminary meetings and the delegates then heard Senator J. Gordon Fogo, federation president, charge in his annual report that the "effects of Communism" are appearing "here and there" in the C.C.F. setup.

"This is to be expected," he asserted, "since the Communists have found from experience that some Socialists are not alierate to totalitarian concepts.

"At the same time, there must be many people who have believed the now discredited policy of the C.C.F. who now are concerned about their political future."

He said Canada's political stability "now is a positive force harnessing the resources of our nation to meet the threat of Communism."

Further Wheat Payment Said Federal Obligation

REGINA, Feb. 26 (CP).—Premier T. C. Douglas and Provincial Agriculture Minister J. C. Mollett today said the Federal Government should accept responsibility for further payment under the five-year wheat pool.

The C.C.F. ministers commented on London reports that Britain has decided to make no further payment for wheat taken under the Anglo-Canadian four-year wheat agreement.

Western farmers have received $1.75 a bushel for wheat delivered to the pool. About six cents a bushel remains to be distributed. Farm organizations have demanded that this be augmented to make a total final payment of from 15 to 20 cents a bushel on the 1,200,000,000 bushels delivered.

FEDERAL RESPONSIBILITY

Premier Douglas said it was the Canadian Government which had agreed to the price level in the Anglo-Canadian agreement, not the farmers. Thus, he said, the Federal Government had accepted an obligation and it was Ottawa's responsibility, regardless of whether it could collect from Britain.

Mr Mollet said he was "naturally disappointed nothing further could be done by the United Kingdom Government." He said he thought it was more a case of Britain not having the dollars rather than a lack of desire to make an additional payment.

He added: "I still feel that since the Federal Government negotiated the contract on behalf of the wheat growers and since the Federal Government has allowed the price of goods farmers buy to rise to unprecedented heights, Ottawa has some obligation to the wheat growers."

Liberal Leader Walter Turner also said he felt that if the Federal Government would not get Britain to do so, it was right for the farmer, the only recourse the farmer had was to look to the Canadian Government for a settlement.

Oddities

LONDON, Feb. 26 (CP).—A former burlesque girl grown shabby and a housewife in a similar plight will start melting away for the benefit of their waistlines and British television viewers tomorrow.

They'll go on a special diet, and every two weeks will appear on television to show what progress is being made.

The diet involves no exercise. It has limits dieters to 1,000 calories a day from a special list of foods.

MONTREAL, Feb. 26 (CP).—Private detectives from a Montreal agency are blushing today after an experience with a burglar Sunday night.

It began with a clanging burglar alarm in a downtown store. Detectives rushed down to find a hole chopped in the roof and a man pointing toward the door and shouting, 'They went that-a-way.'

Detectives rushed on before they realized they had been tricked. When they doubled back, the burglar was gone. He is still at large.

LONDON, Feb. 26 (AP).—Fifty thousand spectators and uncounted thousands of television viewers gasped while watching an international rugby match Saturday between England and France.

An English player lost his pants in a scrimmage.

Abandoning the game temporarily, players of both teams crowded in a huddle around their embarrassed mate. When the huddle broke up the pants had been replaced.

Joblessness In Province Up Sharply

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP).—At February 1, 300,000 persons were registered for employment at National Employment Service offices, compared with a total of 281,900 at January 18, the Labor Department announced today.

Despite the increase, the situation was better than at any time since February, 1950, with 75,000 fewer registered unemployed.

Several factors were responsible for the improvement. There has been greater activity in the pulpwood and lumber industries. Military contracts stepped up employment in the manufacture of aircraft and parts, rubber, textile and leather products, armaments, chemicals and aluminum.

The unemployment increase was sharpest in British Columbia.

In Ontario, job hunters increased from 86,550 to 88,300, though the department said the number of persons at work also increased.

On the Prairies, job registrations went from 47,800 to 51,100. There was heavy employment at the Lakehead for bush workers, pulpwood workers and shipbuilders, but extreme cold curtailed construction farther west. There were also seasonal lay-offs in meat-packing, dairy-processing and retail trade, while coal production was reduced by low demand and strikes.

The northern interior of British Columbia was the only part of the province where sales and rain did not drastically curtail woods and sawmill operations. Construction slackened, while ship-building employment rose. Job applications were from 43,000 to 50,000.

Sunrise and Sunset

FEBRUARY

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) for Victoria, B.C. for the month of February, 1951

Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set	Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set
1	7:44	5:11	15	7:17	5:36
2	7:44	5:12	16	7:15	5:38
3	7:43	5:13	17	7:13	5:39
4	7:42	5:14	18	7:11	5:41
5	7:41	5:15	19	7:09	5:42
6	7:40	5:16	20	7:07	5:44
7	7:39	5:17	21	7:05	5:45
8	7:38	5:18	22	7:03	5:47
9	7:37	5:19	23	7:01	5:48
10	7:36	5:20	24	6:59	5:50
11	7:35	5:21	25	6:57	5:51
12	7:34	5:22	26	6:55	5:53
13	7:32	5:23	27	6:53	5:54
14	7:31	5:24	28	6:51	5:56

Meteorological Office Gonzales Heights Victoria B.C.

Slammed Car Door Traps Crack-men

HANEY, B.C., Feb. 26 (CNS).—All the wealth and skill of three expert safe-crackers went for a loss today because of a slammed car door.

Constable Kelly Irving rajled the Royal Canadian Mounted Police at 2 a.m. when he saw the three men stealing a department store.

While he and two Mounties watched and listened carefully, the three men stole out quietly. The mounties had heard the safe had been blown, almost without a sound.

The slamming car door had awakened Irving.

Attlee Approves Naming Of American Naval Chief

LONDON, Feb. 26 (AP).—Prime Minister Clement Attlee firmly supported today the appointment of United States Admiral William N. Pechriler as supreme naval commander for the North Atlantic.

He told the House of Commons a British would exercise operational control in the Eastern Atlantic as the waters of greatest importance to Britain.

This was the picture Mr Attlee gave the House.

Under the top command to be filled by Admiral Pechriler, the North Atlantic will be divided, with the western area under an American and the eastern under a British admiral.

READS HOME FLEET

"This British admiral will be the commander-in-chief Home Fleet," said Mr Attlee.

Mr Attlee disclosed the creation of a new office with this announcement.

The commander-in-chief, Portsmouth has been designated as commander-in-chief Home Fleet, and will be in sole command of all naval operations in British waters.

Admiral Sir Arthur Power, 51, is the present Portsmouth commander.

Mr Attlee also said the Prime Minister appointed the newly raised to British over Admiral Pechriler's forthcoming appointment was not in no way called the political command problems of the North Atlantic Treaty organization.

STILL OPEN

Conservative Leader Winston Churchill made it plain Mr Attlee had not heard the last of this question. Conservative disapprobation was not put at rest by Mr Attlee's declaration that the present action was designed to get quick deployment of naval forces to danger spots in time of war. The Speaker ruled questioning under a House rule before full elaboration of the question.

Presidency Given Two-Term Limit

CARSONCITY, Nev., Feb. 26 (AP).—Nevada today became the 36th and last state needed to ratify the 22nd amendment to the United States constitution limiting the president to two terms.

The amendment now automatically becomes part of the constitution.

United States presidents by custom have served but two terms, with the exception of Franklin D. Roosevelt, who was elected four times.

The new amendment does not affect President Truman. He still may seek another term since the amendment, which originally proposed the amendment, excepted the presidential office holder at that time—Mr Truman.

View Royal Scouts Net $150 at Dance

VIEW ROYAL, Feb. 26.—An organizational dance held by the View Royal Scout Group recently at the Strawberry Vale hall netted $150 which will be used in purchasing equipment and supplies for a new scout group.

Committee members W. Warren, W. Laurison and Mr. and Mrs. O. Wragge announced that another dance is planned for so-morrow in April.

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Esquimalt Road By-Law May Be Submitted Again

A $100,000 road and drainage by-law, turned down by Esquimalt taxpayers last Autumn, may be resubmitted, and last night's council meeting was told that the municipality's financial position allows the possibility of a further loan later this year.

The council will meet shortly to discuss 1951 estimates and if they will invite ratepayers to an open meeting at which the estimates will be presented.

Reeve A. I. Thomson, in a report to councillors, expressed "disappointment" at the Federal Government's $18,175 grant to the municipality. The report stated that this sum would not service a loaned more than $120,000 needed to meet road street repair and drainage problems.

SCHOOL COSTS UP

The municipality's school costs have risen from $11,845 last year to $101,778, and will account for 27.36 per tax-third of the mill rate. Increased social services, pension and wage costs will have to be met, he said.

The Provincial Government is willing to grant only $17,000 toward reconstruction of Craigflower Road, leaving $24,500 to be met by Esquimalt ratepayers and has asked the municipality must be kept up the reeve said.

"It is obvious there must be a considerable increase in the mill rate this year, and even then it will be enough," he said.

"All our troubles came about because the people turned down the $100,000 by-law last year," said Councillor William Dallaway. If we put it prepared again, it won't be enough, and we will have to submit another one later."

Mrs. M. Lehsim, 301 Kinver

prepared before council and submitted the road problem by referendum, to be included in the 75 feet of road fronting her home.

Mrs. Lehsim said that the road problem was caused by Pember Lane coming through. It was presented to the council, she said, and property owners signed a petition.

BUS SERVICE

Council heard that the Victoria-Westholme service would be increased to two trips daily, beginning March 5.

Electric Railway Company transportation manager H. R. Hallman said as a result of a petition by Craigflower and Burnham Road residents, buses would leave Victoria at 4.07 p.m. and 11.40 p.m. on week-days.

He also wrote that a Victoria-West Burnham Road extension to serve View Royal, in place of the proposed Gorge Road line, had been investigated and found "practical."

A Saturday service from 4.30 a.m. to 8.30 p.m., and a 40-minute service from then to midnight week-days along Craigflower Road and the Island Highway between Tillicum Road and Helmcken Road, is said be instituted if the request was presented by council to the Greater Victoria Transportation committee, he added. Councillors endorsed the plan.

A 1947 by-law, prohibiting vending machines of any nature, will be repealed, and submitted to ratepayers for approval, in order to permit operation of a shuffleboard game at the Sunnydene.

Councillors endorsed the move after it was pointed out that the by-law is so "ironclad" that even jukeboxes cannot be legally operated under it.

Donors Still Urgently Needed To Replace Stocks of Plasma

THREE hundred more donors are needed today if the Victoria Red Cross is to meet its emergency need for blood plasma. Yesterday 200 donors turned up, but Red Cross officials said many of them were "old stand-bys."

New donors are urgently needed to make up depleted supplies and to prepare for any sudden calls from Korea, where the Princess Pats are fighting bitter battles.

Donors may go to the Canadian Legion Hall, 1616 Blanshard Street, from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. or from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. today.

Labor Code Clarification Discussed by Delegates

Nineteen amendments will be necessary to clarify British Columbia's Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, a week-end C.C.F. trade union conference here told C.C.F. M.L.A.s.

The 4 delegates to the conference at Woodworth Hall heard Opposition Leader Harold Winch promise that the C.C.F. will speak for labor in the Legislature.

Alex Macdonald, Vancouver barrister, told the conference that recent decisions in the courts have practically taken away from unions their right to disseminate information by carrying picketing and distribution of pamphlets to aid union organization.

"Unconscious bias of judges against labor, rather than faulty legislation, was blamed by Mr. Macdonald for this state of affairs.

Clarification of the British Columbia labor code would make interpretation more difficult. The Labor Relations Board should approve any legal suit against a union before an action, he said.

Victor Midgley, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of A.F.L.-T.L.C., and Robert Smeal, Victoria Labor Council (C.C.L.) presidents, conducted a panel discussion on specific uses of the I.C.A. Act and the Labor Relations Board.

C.C.F. M.L.A.s present, besides Mr. Winch, were Arthur Turner, Ernest Winch, Leo Nimsick, Rupert Haggen, Frank Calder and Randolph Harding.

Conference chairman was Fred Berta, and secretary, W. G. Clunk.

"Uninformed Persons"

Critics of Building Code Rapped by City Inspector

Criticism leveled at Victoria's building code is being made by uninformed persons, J. W. Oosterink, city building inspector, said yesterday.

He was referring to a statement made Sunday by W. W. Ekins, honorary secretary of the Architectural Institute of British Columbia.

"It appears Mr. Ekins is not very well posted on the code. As far as I can see he is not in a position to comment on the code intelligently because he has never, to my knowledge, been in my office," stated Mr. Oosterink.

Answering criticism of his proposal to charge a plan checking fee, Mr. Oosterink emphasized it would, if approved, only apply to buildings in excess of $10,000.

"I don't want to charge the fee to the man who is building a ordinary house, but I think the big companies which are erecting large projects should pay a plan checking fee. Sometimes three or four days are required to check plans for big construction jobs," explained Mr. Oosterink.

The charge, he said, would be based on half the cost of the building permit.

Mr. Oosterink suspects the criticism has been raised because of a few architects who have had difficulty getting plans approved at the city building department.

"If plans are not up to the correct standard, they have to be brought up before my department will approve them," said the inspector. "Everybody is treated the same."

Anti-Vivisectionists Elect H. H. Hollins

Harry H. Hollins was elected president of the Canadian Anti-Vivisection Society at its annual meeting last night at the Y.W.C.A.

Mr. Hollins reported on the advances in advertising policy in the society and has also donated to the society in the death of Mrs. O. B. Bryant, long-time honorary president.

Man Sent to Jail For Drunken Driving

Burgit Singh, Honeymoon Bay, arrested Saturday by R.C.M.P. and charged with drunken driving, was sentenced to seven days in jail and had his licence suspended for two years after he pleaded guilty to the offence yesterday in court.

Kiwanians and Wives

Public Speaking Awards Given at Function Here

Members of the Oak Bay Kiwanis club and their wives probably boast more orators in their organization than any other club in Victoria.

Last night at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel 28 Kiwanians and their wives received diplomas, climaxing 17 weeks of instruction in the Dale Carnegie Institute course in public speaking held under the direction of W. G. Angus.

Now the graduates are prepared to test their new powers on just about any organization that needs a good speaker.

Director of the class, C. H. O. Mann, is prepared to vouch for the calibre of the students and class officers, C. S. Colliston, president, Robert Ferguson, vice-president, and Mona E. Smith, secretary-treasurer, are prepared to endorse his statements.

Committee chairmen included Clive Moore, graduation; Thomas Moulds, finance; O. P. Thomson, arrangements; Arthur Partridge, attendance; and Catherine Moore, social.

Entertainment was provided at the graduation ceremony by soloist Jack Dunbar and accompanist Miss Dorothy Ella. Short speeches were made by William Young, Hugh Keeton, Thomas Moulds, Robert Ferguson, Dr. R. E. Burns, C. C. Annett, Eunice Yong and Pindlay McKinnon.

Eric Brinkworth, R. H. Carey, Bonnie Smith and Cynthia Carey gave two-minute speeches on "Why I get out of the course."

Those who received diplomas were R. E. Alder, C. O. Annett, Myrtle Angus, E. W. Brinkworth, R. E. Burns, H. R. Carey, Cynthia A. Carey, T. G. Clarke, Lillian Clarke, C. S. Colliston, R. D. Ferguson, Pindlay McKinnon, Marjorie D. Mallam, Flora Moulds, Clive Moore, Catherine Moore, T. C. Moulds, Arthur Partridge, Hugh Keeton, Beverley A. Smith, Mona Elaine Smith, A. O. Sanghurst, George P. Thomson, William Young and Eunice Young.

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In a move to improve traffic on Belleville Street, Provincial Public Works Department yesterday barred auto traffic from semi-circular driveway in front of Legislative Buildings. The building will now be accessible from new driveways entering from Government Street or Menzies Street. In photo, Albert Slevans and Charles Davis bar old road entrances with chains.

Even Postage Costs Face Slashing In Saanich Council Economy Drive

Even municipal postage costs took of beating last night when Saanich Council started paring expenses to the bone in a current economy drive.

During discussion on the need for cutting operating expenses, Councillor H. K. Bates urged that it was unnecessary to send out receipts of water bill payments. Elimination of thousands of letters a year would save "an awful lot of four-cent stamps."

Outcome of talks may be a Township of Jobs in the administrative offices. Several motions were passed and committees formed to report on feasibility of cost-cutting moves in the municipal offices.

"We are going to have to increase the mill rate it seems," Reeve Joseph Casey said. "We've got to cut down wherever we can."

A committee made up of Councillor Grace Shaw, William Kersey, Pat Bate and Reeve Casey will study the matter of a promotion and possible suspension of services in the municipal office.

Dinner Set By Battalion

Preliminary arrangements for a dinner commemorating the 35th anniversary of the departure for Western Scotia were made at a meeting of the members last night at the Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans' clubroom.

The dinner will be held March 24 at the Monterey Cafe with Major A. J. Christie, former commanding officer and a veteran of the Northwest Rebellion and the South African war as guest of honor. Hugh Murray will head the dinner committee and George Elliott will be in charge of entertainment.

Public Speakers Schedule Meeting

VIEW ROYAL, Feb. 26.—The View Royal Public Speaking Club will hold the next regular meeting Thursday, March 8, in the Community Hall.

J. Burrough will preside. D. O. Rockfort will officiate as topic reader and Mrs. T. W. Simpson as toastmaster. Roger Young will present a reading. President W. E. Mills will give a ten-minute talk.

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Season's Seventh Symphony Concert Features Tchaikoski, Haydn Works

By RON BAIRD

A near-capacity audience gave conductor Hans Gruber and the Victoria Symphony Orchestra due credit for a job well done last night at the seventh concert of the season.

A varied program included the light, melodious Tchaikovski Nutcracker Suite and the Overture Bellerelle (1613) by the same composer, a thunderous composition written to glorify Napoleon's defeat in Russia.

Featured in the Nutcracker Suite were harpist Lorna Langley, in the "Waltz of the Flowers," and pianist Corinne Duval, who replaced Charles Palmer at the last moment and did an excellent job.

The Haydn "Farewell" Symphony, No. 45, in which the musicians leave the stand one by one until only the conductor is still on the stand, received heavy applause from the audience.

NO CANDLES

A ruling by the fire chief necessitated the use of lights instead of the traditional candles, which were turned off as each musician finished his part, but the last-minute change did little to detract from the effect of the piece.

The Wolf-Ferrari overture, "Secret of Suzanne," and Brahms "Academic Festival" Overture rounded out the program.

Mr. Gruber received three encores at the end of the program from an appreciative audience, encores that were well-merited for a program that was musically satisfying and excellently presented.

The maturity of the symphony since the start of the current season was evident in its seventh concert.

Miss Kathleen Agnew sponsored the concert, after last-minute request for assistance over the weekend.

Mrs. A. Wallace Dies on Mainland

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26 (CP). — Funeral services will be held Wednesday for Mrs. Alfred Wallace, 78, stepmother of British Columbia Lieutenant-Governor, Clarence A. Wallace.

Mrs. Wallace, a resident of British Columbia for 60 years, died Sunday in hospital.

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Pears Bartlett Bulk, Extra 4, Pears 17c
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Saanich Sewer By-Law To Be Bigger Next Time

Saanich sewer by-law to come up for a vote near the end of March will provide for slightly more money than the one defeated by ratepayers last year, Councillor Leslie Paamore told a special meeting of the council last night.

One of the reasons for the slight increase, he said, was due to the thoroughness with which the job would be done if approved. Plans call for completely water-tight piping to prevent seepage from surface drainage.

OUTLINES COST

In a report to the council, Councillor Paamore said the cost to ratepayers with a 50-foot frontage would be $14 per year and to those with a 75-foot frontage, $21 per year, for a 20-year period.

Cost for connection from mains to the property line would be about $66, he said, and this could be met under a local improvement plan. The cost of connection through the property to the house would depend on the depth of land in front of the house. In addition, a service charge not exceeding $6 per year would be charged.

TELLS OF POLLUTION

Discussing advertising and promotion of the by-law, Councillor H. K. Bates said the people should be informed of the present pollution of water due to open drains.

"We could take samples of the water and have it analyzed to show the high rate of pollution," he said.

"If you're going to get samples," Councillor Leslie Paamore said, "it would be more practical to get a bucket and shovel, not a bottle."

The by-law will come under special discussion at a meeting of the sub-committee Thursday.

The Trouble With You Yanks Is—

What do you think of Americans?—Are they smug, boastful, naive?—Do they have a subconscious dissatisfaction with the very way of life they call so superior?

March Reader's Digest brings you a controversial article that enables you to compare your feelings about the "Yanks" with those of famous Canadian author Bruce Hutchison. Even our U.S. cousins will admit that he takes them apart with kindness and high good humor.

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Three Persons Injured In Week-End Accidents

Six automobile accidents, in addition to two fatal Up-Island collisions, were reported in the Victoria area over the week-end.

Russell Demrd, driver, and Raymond Roy, passenger, both of Vancouver, narrowly escaped death Sunday when their car went out of control on the Malahat, crashed through a guard rail and overturned.

Both men were slightly injured.

Ernest Marcotte, R.R.1, suffered cuts on his wrists as a result of a collision with another car driven by Ronald Oakes, Lansdowne, at Happy Valley near the junction of Rocky Point Road Saturday.

Marcotte's car struck a stump and turned over twice after the collision.

Damage to cars driven by Ernest R. Morris and Bernard R. Morris, which collided Saturday night on Rocky Road, was estimated at $400.

Occupants of cars driven Sunday by Nicholas Gretchen, Leechtown, whose automobile overturned south of the scenic view on the Malahat, and by Edward Gridge, 417 Linden Avenue, whose car turned over at Thetis corner, all escaped injury.

A car driven by Beverley Peden, 3845 Rowland Avenue, was damaged slightly when it struck the underpass of the Helmcken Bridge on Helmcken Road and then hit the bridge railing.

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After-Five Parties At Premier's Home

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Hon. Boyce I. Johnson, Premier of British Columbia, and Mrs. Johnson will be hosts at an after-five party on Monday (not as Wednesday) evening and the second on Monday, March 5.

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Golf Luncheon

Women golfers of Royal Colwood Golf Club will mark the opening of the Sprite season at a luncheon at 12 noon on Thursday at the clubhouse. The luncheon will be followed by two-ball foursomes and bridge will be played for the social afternoon. Mrs. W. H. Lawson, captain, is in charge of the arrangements.

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Entertain at Tea

Mrs. F. C. Carson and Mrs. Leslie Eyres will entertain at tea on Friday afternoon at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel for the wives of Members of the Legislature. Mrs. Byron Johnson and Mrs. Herbert Anscomb have been asked to pour.

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Party Last Evening

Mayor Percy George and Mrs. George entertained last evening at a dinner party in the Prince Arthur Room, Empress Hotel, for city aldermen, their wives and departmental heads and their wives.

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The Victoria Prayer Group will meet in the Memorial Hall on Wednesday at 3 p.m. Open to all.

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Central Union, W.C.T.U., will meet on Thursday at 2.30 p.m. in the Y.W.C.A.

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A kitchen shower honoring Miss Barbara Gennard, who will be married March 17, was given recently by Mrs. F. Lapham and her daughter, Miss Enid Lapham, at the farmer's home, 1123 Wychbury Avenue. A gardenia corsage trimmed with pink carnations was presented to the bride-elect.

The guests were Mrs. W. Sim, Mrs. W. Reynolds, Mrs. L. Lancaster, Mrs. T. Plunnacan, Mrs. E. Meade, Mrs. B. Musgrave, Mrs. A. Mowbray and Misses Marion Taylor, Joan Morris and Peggy Cordingley.

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Dr. D. E. H. Cleveland has returned to Vancouver, having spent the week-end visiting friends in Victoria.

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Honoring Miss Patricia Gibbs, whose marriage to Mr. Herbert H. Abbott takes place shortly, Miss Vera Curtis and Miss Mildred Turner were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower held at the home of Mrs. Thomas Smith, 1106 Vista Heights, recently. A corsage of red roses for the bride-elect and carnations en corsage for her mother and the mother of the groom-elect, were presented. A model house held the many pretty gifts. A buffet supper was served from a table covered with a lace cloth centred with a mirror on which stood a large red rose flanked by a silver rosebowl.

The guests were Mrs. James A. Gibbs, Mrs. B. H. Abbott, Mrs. F. Tanner, Mrs. A. Crouch, Mrs. F. Jensen, Mrs. R. Abbott, Mrs. J. Donaldson, Mrs. D. Abbott, Mrs. C. N. Curtis, Mrs. O. H. Pollinger, Mrs. F. Behnson, Mrs. A. Weisgarber, Mrs. R. Bowden, Mrs. T. Atkinson, Mrs. V. Lake, Mrs. B. Turner, Mrs. J. N. Curtis, Mrs. J. Turner and Miss R. Renfrew.

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A miscellaneous shower in compliment to Miss Joan Hayhurst, March bride-elect, was given by Miss Alice Johnston recently at the home of her mother, Mrs. H. W. Johnston, 120 Obed Avenue. Blue hyacinths and yellow roses en corsage for the bride-to-be and blue iris and daffodils for her mother were presented. The guest of honor discovered her pretty gifts on a "treasure hunt." The guests were Mrs. D. J. Hayhurst, Mrs. J. G. Crosby and Misses Emily Kaltenbach, Brien Hamilton, Margot Boughton, Louise Sangster, Beryl Coates and Valentine Harlock.

Clubs and Societies

Colfax Rebekah Lodge will meet this evening at 7.30. A social hour with court whist will commence at 8.30.

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Esquimalt Women's Institute will meet on March 1 at 8 p.m. in the parish hall of St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church.

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Esquimalt Civilians Association will meet at the home of Mrs. G. A. Jennings, 878 Esquimalt Road, this evening (Tuesday) at 8 p.m.

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Women's Auxiliary No. 85 to Victoria Typographical Union No. 201, will meet on Thursday at 2.15 p.m. in Room 15, Williams Building.

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A film and talk on child psychology by Mr. J. Vance of the Department of Health, featured the regular meeting of Strawberry Vale P.-T.A.

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Queen May Casa of Rebua Temple, Daughters of the Nile, of Seattle, accompanied by officers of the Lodge will arrive today on an official visit to the Victoria Lodge.

St. George's Ladies' Guild, Cadboro Bay, will meet on March 1 in the hall at 2 p.m. Plans will be made for the concert by the Welsh Choir on March 8.

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Lodge Princess, Daughters of England No. 22, will hold a business meeting in the K. of P. Hall on March 6 at 8 p.m. Members are requested to bring groceries for the family box.

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The regular luncheon of the Victoria Rotary Anns will be held on Thursday at 12 noon at Terry's dining-room. Verna Vimmo will be the speaker and her subject will be her European trip.

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Camas Rebekah Lodge, No. 46, will hold a social evening in the Odd Fellows Hall on March 1 at 7.30 p.m. A baking contest and auction will follow the meeting and entries must be left in the dining-room before the meeting.

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Victoria Lodge, No. 89, Daughters of St. George, will hold a daffodil tea in the home, 1417 Broad Street, on Wednesday at 2.30 p.m. A meeting will follow at 7.30 p.m.

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Members of Victoria Home Economics Association were shown through the plant of Island Weavers recently. Mr. Howland, a member of the staff, conducted the tour and gave an interesting talk on the origin and history of the weaving processes.

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Plans for a spring bazaar on April 12 in the Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Company, were made by the Victoria Women's Institute at the recent business meeting. Members and friends are reminded of the social to be held on March 6 at the Y.W.C.A.

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Dr. Clifford Carl, director of the Provincial Museum, will present motion pictures in Victoria West United Church hall, Harmer Avenue, on March 2 at 8 p.m. The program has been arranged under the auspices of the church committee of stewards.

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McKenzie Avenue P.-T.A. will meet on March 1. All parents are invited to visit the school on March 7 from 2 to 3 p.m. A telephone whist will be held March 8 to 10 and the P.-T.A. is looking for hostesses who will have a table of bridge in their homes during that week. For information phone Mrs. J. Woodward, Col. 1534M.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Macarthur, 174 Beach Drive, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Joanne, to Mr. William J. Bartlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bartlett, 298 View Royal. The wedding will take place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McPherson will officiate at the ceremony in Oak Bay United Church on Friday, March 9, at 8 p.m. Miss Macarthur will be attended by Mrs. Donald Reader of Port Angeles as matron of honor and Misses Shirley Porter and Doreen Renton as bridesmaids.

A Cartwright Honored Prior to Leaving Ganges

After 26 years with Mouat Bros. Ltd. Mr. C. Alan Cartwright has resigned and is shortly leaving to make his home in Quonset where he has joined the staff of Gunn's Hardware Co. Mrs. Cartwright and her daughter Pat, expect to join him in a month or two.

The staff of Mouat Bros. Ltd. held a farewell party for Mr. Cartwright at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Colin P. Mouat recently. Mr. Laurie Mouat acted as master of ceremonies. Mr. W. M. Mouat paid tribute to the many years of loyal service of Mr. Cartwright and presented him with a cheque on behalf of the company.

Mr. E. Butterfield followed with an amusing monologue on "A Day in the Life of Alan Cartwright."

The honor guest was presented by Miss M. L. Scott, on behalf of the staff of Mouat Bros. Ltd., with an automatic wrist watch and a box of cigars. Miss Colline Mouat presented Mrs. Cartwright with a bouquet of Spring flowers on behalf of the staff.

Mrs. Laurie Mouat rendered the word solo "Now is the Hour" and several other musical numbers in which the guests joined in the choruses.

Mr. J. H. McGill presided at the coffee urn. Mr. Fred Ross moved a vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Mogan for their kindness in lending their home for the occasion.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. Ashley, Mr. and Mrs. K. Butterfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cartwright, Mrs. L. B. Devine, Mrs. A. B. Elliot, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Gardener, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Greenhough, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ley, Mr. and Mrs. H. May, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McGill, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Milliner, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Mouat, Colline and Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Gavin C. Mouat, Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Mouat and Donna, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Mouat, Mr. and Mrs. W. Evan Mouat, Mr. and Mrs. H. Newman, Mrs. V. Okano, Mr. and Mrs. F. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. F. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Sans, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wood, Misses Grace Mouat, Olive Mouat, M. Perry, M. I. Scott, Minnie W. Greenhough, T. W. Mouat, W. M. Mouat, G. Shore, Kello Wilson, R. J. Wood.

A report on pre-school work was given by Miss Marion James at the regular meeting of Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council on Friday. Mr. O. M. Willson reported on the United Nations Study Group. Next meeting of the group will be held on March 8 at 8 p.m. at Prince Robert House.

Brownie Rally

To observe "Thinking Day," Brownies of the West District met recently in the Memorial Hall, where the Brownies carried out a program representing different countries.

Mrs. D. Abraham spoke on "Thinking and Thanking." Mrs. Miderly, divisional commissioner, was a special guest.

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The Shawnigan Lake-Cobble Hill sub-division, Catholic Women's League met at the home of Mrs. A. Dupont, Mrs. E. Bedgewick in the chair. Rev. Father Lombard, chaplain, attending.

Engagements

The engagement is announced of Miss Myrtle Leslie Wallace, eldest daughter of Mrs. Lila Wallace, Rickdale, Alberta, and Mr. William Walker, 1273 McKenzie Street, Victoria, B.C., to Mr. John Willcox Boyd, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boyd, 2931 Balfour, to take place March 10, 1951, at 8 o'clock, at Grace Lutheran Church, Blanshard Street at Queens.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gennard of Yale, B.C., announce the engagement of their only daughter, Barbara, to Mr. Alan Bourmont of Vancouver, B.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. David Douglas. The wedding will take place March 17, at Yale, B.C.

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Former Radio Singer to Succeed Mary Martin in "South Pacific"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 (AP) — Martha Wright has to make the kind of decision every girl in show business dreams of having to make sooner or later.

She had to decide whether to take over Mary Martin's part in "South Pacific" or take a lead in "A Tree Grows in Brooklyn."

"Oh, it was terrible," Martha says. "For three days and nights I couldn't sleep. I almost had visions of my being in the hospital with a nervous breakdown. I was so upset I couldn't even eat."

Of course, when she made her decision she knew how I managed. It was a big job. Like I guess. Anyway, I didn't have to go to work in Macy's basement."

More recently she's been singing in hotels and night clubs. She says this is excellent experience.

"It's tough, real tough," she says. "Just before time to go on here comes a big crowd and sits down to eat. They don't pay any attention to you. All they want to do is eat and drink. Trying to get them interested and watching your shoes is real tough.

Martha gives the customers a little of everything—comedy, special stuff and even opera.

In Montreal, she says, "they were simply crazy about the opera."

Martha is five feet five inches tall, weight about 118 pounds. Her something between blonde and red and right now starry-eyed.

Program by Parksville W.I. Commemorates Founders' Day

PARKSVILLE, Feb. 26 — More than 100 persons attended a sumptuous Founders' Day banquet sponsored by Parksville Women's Institute and held at the parish hall. The guests were welcomed by president, Mrs. C. R. Tryon.

The program set under way with an amusing one-act play entitled "Thursdays at Home." Heading the cast were Mrs. W. Russell, Mrs. Margaret Young, Mrs. E. Coil, Mrs. F. Wallace, Mrs. C. J. Mitchell, Mrs. S. Vandervoort, Mrs. W. Leighton, Mrs. F. Mickelson and Miss Mildred Marks. Mrs. F. Blackwell was prompter.

Other items on the varied program included a violin-piano duet by Miss Vera McDowell and Mrs. A. McDonald, vocal solo by Mrs. M. N. Wright, Miss Mary Young and A. E. Wyvester. A vocal duet by Mrs. Young and Mr. Wyvester, a group of songs by a school girls chorus under the direction of Paul Smith, tap dancing by two young pupils of D. Murray Gibson Nicholls and Maureen Young. Miss Yvette Bonneyer recited an amusing Russian piece accompanied by Mr. Fraserer and to close the program, E. Bailey gave an exhibition of magic. Dancing music was supplied by Mrs. McDonald and Miss McDonald rounded out the enjoyable evening.

General convener for the event was Mrs. J. J. Anderson and Mrs. A. Marks was in charge of refreshments. Proceeds will go to the W.I. general fund.

Junior Branch Of Institute Organized

VIEW ROYAL, Feb. 26—Mrs. H. A. Beaven, president of the Craigflower Women's Institute has announced the formation of a junior branch of the Institute, which will accept any person 10 to 18 years of age who is interested in doing practical work for charitable purposes.

Meetings under the direction of Mrs. Alice McLeod will be held in the View Royal Community Hall at 7 p.m. on the second and fourth Mondays of each month.

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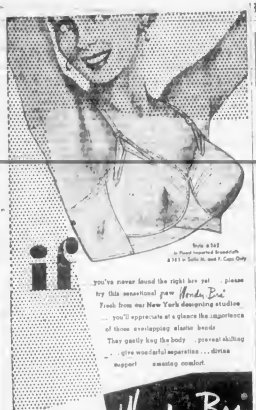

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Little Boy Lost

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CHAPTER XII—Continued

The child came slowly forward, his eyes still fixed on Hilary's face. He put out his hand, and as Hilary touched his intense, the intensity that had held them both was broken. The boy dropped his eyes to the ground and Hilary breathed deep with weariness.

The Mother Superior seemed to notice nothing "Monsieur is going to spend a few days here and then he's going back to Paris to tell Madame Guillebourd all about you." She added with a note of anxiety, "Jean, you understand Madame Guillebourd, don't you?"

The boy looked apprehensive. Hilary thought, He's become scared of questions, and an impulse to spare the child made him say quickly, with assurance, "But of course you remember grandmamman."

Miraculously the boy's expression cleared. He looked at Hilary again, his eyes full of relief and gratitude as if he had already received what he was asking for. He said, "She had a chick. A bird jumped out and it said, Cuckoo." The words were tumbling over each other with excitement.

Hilary thought, How queer to hear him talking French, and simultaneously, That must be the clock that the old lady sold. The nun was saying, "I too had a clock like that when I was a little girl in Alsace," and the boy quickly turned to her the face of another child, a child vivid, eager, interested.

Now the Mother Superior was smiling smoothly, "I think I keep you both indoors talking when I am sure you want to set out on your walk. Come here Jean." She beckoned to him with her finger, buttoned it tightly, and pulled the hood up over his head. Then she opened the door behind them and left them together in the hall. Hilary turned the handle of the front door, but the door wouldn't open. The boy darted forward, and said eagerly, "Let me. I know how to." He stood on tiptoe to release a high latch, then pulled the door open and proudly held it back for Hilary to pass through.

CHAPTER XIII

What the devil shall we do, he thought in dismay, and he turned to the child waiting beside him and said, "You'll have to tell me where to go because I don't know your town at all."

Jean said breathlessly, "Do you like trains, monsieur?"

"I like trains very much," said Hilary hopefully.

"There is a lovely-looking" said Jean, "I think—do you think monsieur—it would be nice to go that way?"

"Nothing could be nicer," said Hilary. "There's a place called a Zoo where every kind of wild animal lives. Shall we go for coffee on the elephant's back?" The boy gave a doubtful laugh and looked furtively at Hilary. He hastened to add, "I'll take you on an elephant one day."

(To be continued)

Suddenly the boy seemed sure of him and for the first time gave him a natural happy little boy's grin. "Robert said it was this way," and they started off down the hill.

Just as they arrived, the heavy pots fell slowly and majestically over the road, their dangling iron curtains hitting the ground with a crash. Hilary's heart leaped into his throat. Jean's cheeks paled and he said with a kind of ecstatic tremor, "Robert said that after the pots go down the train comes," and at that moment they both heard the chuff of the engine coming towards them.

It was a slow old goods-engine dragging a surprising number of coal-filled wagons and it took a long time to pass. The rumble and clatter slowly died away and Hilary heard a small incredulous voice saying, "I've done a train."

Hilary demanded, "Haven't you ever seen a train before?"

The boy was frightened at Hilary's tone. He said, in "No, monsieur" and his eyes opened widely in apprehension.

"But don't you ever come this way on your walks?" asked Hilary.

"No, monsieur" whispered Jean, "we always go the other way." His eyes pleaded for forgiveness.

It's unbelievable, thought Hilary as aloud, with an effort of deliberate physical relaxation he made himself say warmly, "Look, Jean, the gates are still down. I think another train's going to come."

They waited and watched a rusty tank engine puff ponderously by. "Look, monsieur," shouted Jean. "Look, it's going backwards!" and he burst into wild laughter, and Hilary laughed with him.

Then the gates went up again and Hilary discovered that he was feeling solid. He suggested, "Let's go to that cafe over the road. We can still see the trains out of the window."

Jean nodded quickly, grinning to show how much he liked the idea, and followed Hilary into the cafe.

Inside it was warm and comfortable. Hilary set the child near the window. "Now," he said, "what would you like to drink?"

Jean looked puzzled, and Hilary, realizing that a cafe was a new experience as a train, ordered a beer and a raspberry syrup.

"Taste it," urged Hilary. Jean tasted and then drank the whole lot down with loud sucking gulps. "Well, what do you think of it?" Hilary asked, and Jean said boldly, "I seem think I could drink another" and Hilary laughed and ordered it for him.

"Do you like reading?" Hilary asked casually.

Jean said, "I like reading about Africa. I know about little mammals," said Jean. "They curl up in trees and hide."

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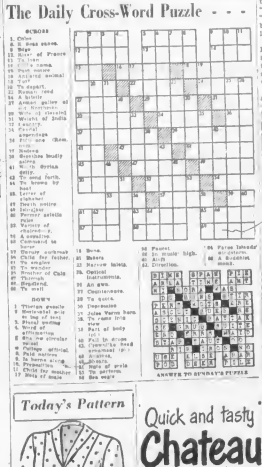

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Toronto Mines and Oils

(Super Investments Ltd.)

OILS	Bid	Asked
Anglo-Canadian	6.00	6.25
Atlantic Oil	370	380
Calgary	1.00	1.05
Calvan	1.60	1.65
Federated	150	170
Fernie Oil	1.00	1.05
Fortuna	1.00	1.05
Imperial	1.00	1.05
MINES	Bid	Asked
Acadia Uranium	1.00	1.05
Agnew Surprise	1.00	1.05
Aunor	1.00	1.05
Bagamac	1.00	1.05
Bevcourt	1.00	1.05
Bidgood Kirkland	1.00	1.05
Bonville	1.00	1.05
Bralorne Pek	1.00	1.05
Bruneau	1.00	1.05
Buffalo Ankerite	1.00	1.05
Buffalo Roberts	1.00	1.05
Bulolo	1.00	1.05
Cariboo Gold	1.00	1.05
Chemical Red Lake	1.00	1.05
Coniagas Tech	1.00	1.05
Central Patricia	1.00	1.05
Central Red Lake	1.00	1.05
Chemical Research	1.00	1.05
Cobalt Silver	1.00	1.05
Coniagas Tech	1.00	1.05
Cordemac Williams	1.00	1.05
Crestaurum	1.00	1.05
Crowpaw	1.00	1.05
Dome Gold	1.00	1.05
Dome Mines	1.00	1.05
Dome Red Lake	1.00	1.05
Dominion V.K.	1.00	1.05
Duparquet	1.00	1.05
Eldorado Gold	1.00	1.05
Fort Buffalo	1.00	1.05
Fortune	1.00	1.05
Frontier	1.00	1.05
Gold Belt	1.00	1.05
Gold Eagle	1.00	1.05
Golden Star	1.00	1.05
Grandoro	1.00	1.05
Hasaga	1.00	1.05
Hollinger	1.00	1.05
Hosco	1.00	1.05
Hudson Bay	1.00	1.05
Jack Lake	1.00	1.05
Jacobus	1.00	1.05
Kerr Addison	1.00	1.05
Kirkland Lake	1.00	1.05
Lake Shore	1.00	1.05
Lamaque	1.00	1.05
Lebel Oro	1.00	1.05
Lexindin	1.00	1.05
Little Long Lac	1.00	1.05
Lorado	1.00	1.05
Lorrain	1.00	1.05
Lyndhurst	1.00	1.05
Mandy	1.00	1.05
Marlon	1.00	1.05
Matachewan Con.	1.00	1.05
McKenzie Red Lake	1.00	1.05
Meta Uranium	1.00	1.05
Mic Mac	1.00	1.05
Midcontinent	1.00	1.05
Mistango	1.00	1.05
Mosher Long Lake	1.00	1.05
Newlaskin	1.00	1.05
Norbeset	1.00	1.05
Northland Mines	1.00	1.05
Northwest Territories	1.00	1.05
Nubar	1.00	1.05
Oban Gold	1.00	1.05
Pamour	1.00	1.05
Pickle Crow	1.00	1.05
Pitch Ore	1.00	1.05
Powell Rouyn	1.00	1.05
Quebec Chibougamau	1.00	1.05
Quebec Lithium	1.00	1.05
Quebec Manitou	1.00	1.05
Quebec Metallurgical	1.00	1.05
Quebec Rare Earths	1.00	1.05
Quebec Sphalerite	1.00	1.05
Quebec Yellowknife	1.00	1.05
Rand Mines	1.00	1.05
Rare Earth	1.00	1.05
Rexmac	1.00	1.05
Rice Lake	1.00	1.05
Ridge Lake	1.00	1.05
Rouyn Merrick	1.00	1.05
Sand River	1.00	1.05
Sarnia Bay	1.00	1.05
Sayabec	1.00	1.05
Sherman	1.00	1.05
Shiningtree Gold	1.00	1.05
Sigma	1.00	1.05
Silver Fox	1.00	1.05
Silverwood	1.00	1.05
Sladen Malartic	1.00	1.05
Stadacona	1.00	1.05
Stock	1.00	1.05
Sudbury Contact	1.00	1.05
Sylvanite	1.00	1.05
Talbot	1.00	1.05
Taylor Pitcairn	1.00	1.05
Teck-Hughes	1.00	1.05
Temiskaming	1.00	1.05
Thompson Lake	1.00	1.05
Toburn	1.00	1.05
Torbrit	1.00	1.05
Torbrex	1.00	1.05
Triangle	1.00	1.05
Turnbull	1.00	1.05
Upper Canada	1.00	1.05
Vangorda Plateau	1.00	1.05
Vemdalen	1.00	1.05
Villemaire	1.00	1.05
Wasamac	1.00	1.05
Wasp	1.00	1.05
Wedge	1.00	1.05
Wendover	1.00	1.05
Westdome	1.00	1.05
Westville	1.00	1.05
Wexmar	1.00	1.05
Wiltsey Coghlan	1.00	1.05
Yellowknife Bear	1.00	1.05

Toronto Industrials

(A. E. Ames & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi P. & P.	31%	32%
Abitibi P. & P. Pfd.	31%	32%
Acme Alloys	30 a	50%
Acme Gas & Oil	1.00	1.05
Algoma Steel	35 a	36
Aluminium	27	27½
Aluminum Goods	30	32
Amulet	1.00	1.05
Anglo-Newfoundland "A"	17	17½
Anglo-Canadian	6.00	6.25
Bathurst Power "A"	30	31
Bathurst Power "B"	31	32
Bell Telephone	39½	40
Bevcourt	1.00	1.05
Brantford Roller "A"	50	55
Brewers & Dist.	7.00	7.50
Brewers Retail	7.00	7.50
B.C. Oil Pfd.	10	11
B.C. Power Co. Ord.	60	65
B.C. Power Co. Pfd.	101½	102½
B.C. Power Pfd.	101½	102½
B.C. Power "A"	32½	33½
B.C. Power "B"	32½	33½
Brock Mills "B"	2.00	2.25
Building Products	27½	28½
Burlington Steel	37½	38½
Burlington Steel "A"	37½	38½
Burlington Steel "B"	37½	38½
Burlington Steel Pfd.	100	101
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Harpo Marx to Be Mute Idiot In Movie Satire About Reds

—HEARD IN HOLLYWOOD—

By LOUELLA O. PARSONS

Harpo Marx, who hasn't yet spoke a word on the screen, is about to get his name on a contract for a motion picture in which, as usual, he'll utter not a word.

The story is "The Man Who Voted Twice."

Harpo's agent, Jerry Fairbanks, is now in Europe together this Summer if they can't their honeymoon, which it was and said she Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schnitt of New York will act as chaperones.

After Shelley finishes "Fielder's Green" for Universal-International, and "Behave Yourself" with Farley for RKO, she will have four unreleased pictures when Farley completes "I Married my Husband" and "Behave Yourself" he will have two movies on hand.

He has an automobile in Paris when he was abroad last year and he and Shelley will motor through Europe. They hope to leave about June 1.

TAKES OVER ROLE

June Havoc takes over for Cornia Hunn when Cornia leaves "Affair of State" on June 1—and June was an earned girl when she called long distance to tell me the good news. I don't blame her. It's a great break and I'm sure she will do a good job.

Her contract calls for "Ruin of the Play" on Broadway with a means June will be East for a long time.

Lucky Bill Boyle's radio directing work permits him to be here in New York and they are looking for an apartment now. There's one gal who loves her mate and doesn't believe in being separated from him for any reason.

RANDOM SNAPSHOTS

Janet Leigh and Tony Curtis will marry later this year. Tony says that somebody is spreading "rumors" about his marriage trouble, but it will take more than that to kill a real romance, and Janet agrees with him.

Dr. Peter Lindstrom has just bought a new home for $46,000. It's located in fashionable Beverly Hills. In Beverley Canyon. Each time the doctor looked at the house he was accompanied by an attractive young woman.

Liz Taylor will celebrate her 19th birthday Tuesday and she'll be in Washington, D.C. Pals are down that Stanley Donen will fly there to celebrate with her.

Barbara Stanwyck has closed a deal for the purchase of a home in Beverly Glen. Everyone is glad that Barbara is being seen again. She was with Jack Benny at Mocambo (with Mary's permission) and the next night she went to a preview of "Axe in the Hole" with the same person.

Cesar Romero is being seen constantly with Beverly Bonner. She was formerly Bob Sterling's fiancee. Thursday night they were at the Tallyho at a table for two.

Uncle Wiggily Story

By Howard Garis

TO THE RESCUE

Uncle Wiggily and the frightened, our overcoat like a sail, being blown on by shakes along from Frog Pond. Uncle Wiggily tried to shake but he fell down river and gave up. Mr. Crow came down to glide on his shakes with his coat for a sail.

"But suddenly the crow shouted

"Stop! Stop, Uncle Wiggily! There is a big hole in the ice in front of you! Stop! Stop!"

But the rabbit gentleman didn't stop. He kept on going, pushed by the wind, straight for the hole. Through the hole Mr. Longears could see the water of Frog Pond.

"Oh! Oh! What shall I do?" shouted the bunny rabbit.

Flying overhead, Mr. Crow hoarsely cried.

Twice saved someone by the rescue

"You must stop! That's what you did to me! Stop before you plop into that ice hole! Stop!"

"I don't know how to stop!" said Uncle Wiggily. "How can I stop myself from going?"

"Drag one of your shakes on the ice," advised Mr. Crow. "A shake that is dragged is like a brake. Drag one shake!"

Uncle Wiggily tried, but, though he slowed up a little, he still kept on gliding toward the ice hole.

"Dragging my shake is no good, Mr. Crow," said the rabbit. "It hurts anything else I can do?"

"Yes, there is," answered the black bird. "Go to one side or to the other of the ice hole. Steer away from it!"

Uncle Wiggily tried to steer away from the ice hole. But he couldn't do it. Either he didn't know how or else the wind was blowing too hard against his fur coat sail. He was getting closer and closer to the hole. He started to Frog Pond looked very cold.

"In fact, it looks cold I can do to keep from plopping into the water," he said.

The black bird circled around in the air until he was once more on the ship over Uncle Wiggily's head.

"Quick, Mr. Crow! Quick!" shouted the rabbit. "Tell me what to do if you please!"

"Let go the sides of your coat," advised the black bird. "Wrap your coat around around you. Then it will be larger be like a sail and the wind rather than blow into the hole."

Uncle Wiggily, who had been holding his coat spread out with his hand from paws now wrapped the fur garment around him. That trick might have worked if he had been a little farther away from the hole.

But Mr. Longears was now too close to the hole to keep from plop-

ping into it. Down he went, splash! Into the water he went, splash! Into the water he went, splash! Into the water

EATON'S

Oriental Prints

from Fifth Avenue ... drama for your chignon ... ture! The pillbox of moiré ... in an iridescent brocade ... hand painted in India patterns and handsome as an Indian potentate's headdress. Hat ... at

16.50

EATON'S—MILLINERY, FASHION FLOOR

French Seal Toppers

Sleek rabbit skin ... manipulated into coats to wear with your jacket dress now. Sizes 10 to 20

148.00

Lapin Jackets

Dyed rabbit: ... in mink brown, taupe brown and harvest brown dyes. Lightweight, beautifully detailed. Sizes 10 to 20.

138.00

EATON'S—FURS, FASHION FLOOR

Flower Favorites

The fairest flowers of Spring, simulated so beautifully singly or in bunches.

Violets	1.25
Lilacs	1.95
Gardenia	1.00

EATON'S—NECKWEAR, MAIN FLOOR

The Scarf

A wisp of sheer silk chiffon, square shaped. Drapes softly to cushion a flower or pin. In lilac and other pastels.

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EATON'S—SCARVES, MAIN FLOOR

The Navy Blue Shoe

Collected in an array of styles, shadings and heel heights. We have chosen just three to sketch . . .

Blue suede pump, double strap, high heel. Pair

9.95

Blue calf suede D'orsay pump, cuban heels. Pair

9.95

Blue calf Spectator with high heels. Pair

11.95

EATON'S—WOMEN'S SHOES, FASHION FLOOR

Nylon Half Slip

. . . cool underpinnings for Spring and Summer. Well cut nylon tricot in white only. Elastic at waist, finished with nylon lace-edged hem. Small, medium and large sizes.

3.95

EATON'S—LINGERIE, FASHION FLOOR

It's the Jacket Dress for Spring '51

It's part of the costume look that's the solution to down-to-dusk doings . . . a fashion that attains new beauty through usefulness! Two personalities, a soft tea-ish dress who keeps company with a crispy town-ish jacket, calculated to take compliments on their own as well as together. We welcome a collection of jacket dresses in smooth crepes, both printed and plain . . . and sized for misses and women.

A—A Dale print jacket dress in a checked design of taffeta with grey or black with white. Cap sleeve dress, narrow trim at neckline. Boxed jacket with velvet trimmed bigoteau pockets. Sizes 14 and 16 **29.95**

B—Wool slim bodice dress . . . a flattering small petal pattern of white on blue or green grounds. Short sleeve dress with square neckline. Jean with set. Short sectioned jacket. Sizes 10½ to 20½ **35.00**

EATON'S—DRESSES, FASHION FLOOR

Store Hours: 9 A.M. to 5 P.M.
Wednesday: 9 A.M. to 1 P.M.

Telephone E 4141

Fashion Points of View

The Necklines

They are as conventional, sometimes relieved by an inset of net, by purple velvet piping or by an edging of ribbon. Sees the wisdom of a high necklined dress mated with a jacket whose neckline is deeper . . . or a deep whose neckline or V neckline is demurely covered by a button up jacket. Any version you choose is good news for '51.

Detail

It's all in the jut of a cuff . . . In the very discreet sensuous of linen and velvet often used to dramatize a neckline. There's something noteworthy about sleeves whose lengths are ¾ in order to show an expense of white glove or chunky jewellery. All small things, all important things that make two pieces a new-era Spring costume.

Prints

The patterns of the prints are many and definitely the highlight of the cloth itself, in our case light silky crepes. Small bright flashes either stylized or abstract . . . little garden prints, floral and foliage variations . . . and variations of geometric arrangements. The colour story is a blending of two or three, seldom more.

The Silhouette

Because the jacket dress often takes the place of a suit it keeps the straight lines you love so well. But never as straight as to eliminate femininity. It's softer, more flattering . . . It flares out here and there . . . the cuffs . . . and noticeably the hip-flaring jacket (padded to point out a tiny waist, a blade of a skirt). The skirts can, incidentally, have deep pleats all the way around only to reveal their fullness when you walk.

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